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Premier leaps into fray over MB

'B.C. is not for sale'

Premier Bennett Thursday stepped into the middle of the corporate fight for control of the B.C. forest giant MacMillan Bloedel.

And he did so with the initial promise that he had been assured by all parties involved in the takeover scramble that no corporate control change-overs would take place until principals from Domtar, Canadian Pacific Investments and MB met with the premier during the first week in January.

"British Columbia is not for sale," the premier said.

Following an emergency meeting of the cabinet Thursday morning, which saw several ministers and the premier hastily recalled to Victoria during their Christmas vacations, Bennett said he found both the Domtar and the CPI bids for MB unacceptable.

"I have today talked with the senior executives involved and we have agreed to meet in Vancouver in the first week in January," Bennett said.

Recalled from the ski slopes of Big White near Kelowna, the premier apologized for his blue jeans and shirt and heavy leather boots. "But I consider this a matter of some emergency," he said. "We are concerned over the development of the province.

"I have advised the parties, and I am now advising the public, that I want to talk to all the officials involved and to outline for them what the policies of the province of British Columbia are."

CPI, which already owns 2.8 million of MB's 21.2 million common shares, announced Wednesday that it is seeking to obtain at least 51 per cent of those shares in order to control the company.

The CPI offer followed an offer by Domtar, a Montreal-based company, for control of B.C.'s largest forest industry. In counter moves MB has sought control of Domtar.

Whatever the outcome of those boardroom fights Bennett left no doubt that B.C. did not intend to sit back and be a mere spectator to the struggle.

The premier declined to discuss what his strategy would be when he met with the corporate executives next week but Section 50 of the new B.C. Forest Act

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A downhill day from ski slopes

IT'S NOT EASY BEING PREEM

Things don't always go well for provincial premiers even when they have a government aircraft to fly them to the capital in emergency situations.

Take Premier Bennett, for example.

At 5:30 a.m. Thursday he ambled into the bathroom of his condominium at Big White ski resort near Kelowna. The orders of the day indluded a shave, coffee and a quick run down the mountain to board the government jet for Victoria to handle the Domtar-CP-MacMillan Bloedel takeover crisis.

THE HOT-WATER TANK had frozen during the night.

A quickly boiled kettle of water, a quickie shave, instant coffee gulped and he was behind the wheel of his car.

It wouldn't start. The night had been cold on Big White.

A neighbor, rudely awakened before first light but willing to do his bit for B.C., produced jumper cables and got Bennett's car going. Just to make sure everything was okay, he followed the premier part way down the hill until the trailing vehicle quietly slid into a ditch.

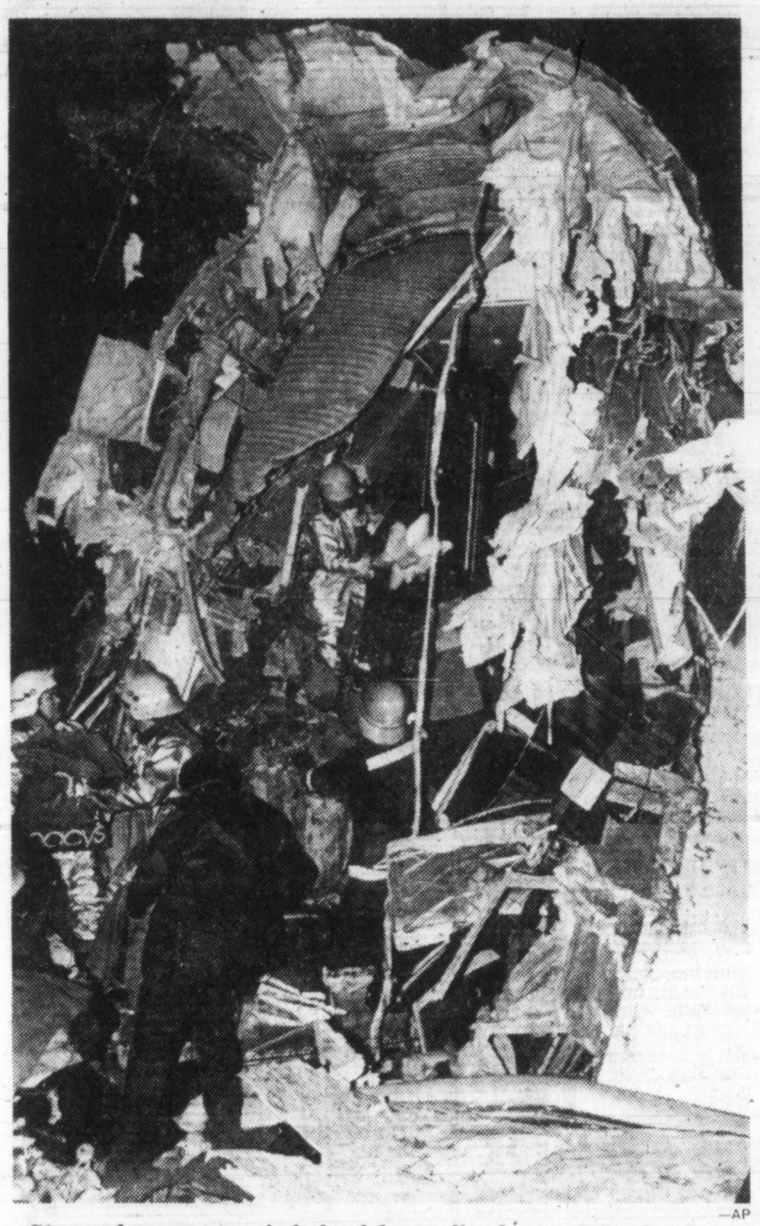
"It was not," said the premier, "an auspicious start to a day which was to end in debate with Ian Sinclair (president of Canadian Pacific)."

THE PROBLEMS WERE not over. By the time the neighbor had been straightened around, the premier's car unfrozen for a second time and the airport reached, the government pilots had decided there was no premier to pick up and had just lifted off the runway.

Recalled by radio, they finally got the premier, blue jeans, blue shirt, winter boots and blue chin lightly powdered for the TV lights, to the press conference theatre at the Legislature buildings.

At 4 p.m. the premier held a short cabinet meeting, then headed back for Big White in the hope that the return trip might be as smooth as the inbound trip was fraught with problems.

DC-8 hits Portland street, most of 185 aboard alive



—AP

Stewardess, centre, is helped from sliced-open DC-8 fuselage

Colonist wire services

PORTLAND, Ore.—"Mayday! Mayday! Engines are flaming out! We are going down! We're not going to make the airport!"

These chilling words came from the pilot of a disabled United Airlines DC-8 jetliner Thursday night just moments before the plane carrying 185 persons crashed into a sparsely-populated residential area southeast of Portland International Airport.

At least 10 persons, including four children, were killed. Hospitals said more than 50 were injured, five critically. But the majority of the passengers—as well as the pilot and co-pilot—were able to escape the wreckage and wander into nearby homes for help.

The pilot of the plane, Flight 173 from New York and Denver to Portland, circled the area for about 45 minutes with a reported landing gear problem before giving his 'mayday' warning. Emergency crews reached the wreckage within minutes because of the advance notice that the plane was in trouble.

"He did land," said a resident of the neighborhood.

The jetliner, which carried 177 passengers, including five infants, and a crew of eight, sheared treetops, cut power lines and demolished two vacant houses before coming to rest in a woods. There was no fire and no panic and the passengers exited quickly from the plane, according to an airport spokesman.

The jet crashed about 6:15 p.m. and knocked out power to about 1,500 homes in the area.

Aims for vacant lots

It appeared that the pilot tried to set the plane down in a strip of vacant lots, 200 metres long and a block wide. The wings and front of the plane—to the fourth or fifth row of the passenger section—were sheared off.

The DC-8 lay crumbled, lodged in a clump of fir trees. Rescue workers clambered through the wreckage and ambulances took victims to hospitals. Firemen said they were looking under the plane for more victims.

Witnesses said the pilot seemed dazed as he walked away from the wreckage.

A stewardess said the plane had been having trouble with the landing gear but they thought it was working when they went in for the landing.

Mary Wheat, 49, who lives

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Boat people plead for food, new life

Colonist wire services

About 5,000 Vietnamese refugees, packed aboard freighters off Manila and Hong Kong, begged Thursday for food, doctors and a chance to start a new life elsewhere.

In Manila, the government of the Philippines appealed to Canada and other Western countries to take more than 2,300 of the refugees aboard the *Tung An*, anchored in Manila Bay.

In Hong Kong, authorities have refused for six days to let 2,700 refugees off the Taiwanese freighter *Huey Fong* because Taiwan, not Hong Kong, was the freighter's next port of call.

As refugees continued to wait it out in sweltering heat aboard the freighters, a representative for the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees said it would take diplomats about a week to find out if their governments are willing to take some of the 5,000.

The refugees are fanatically persistent. Some aboard the *Huey Fong* have threatened suicide if their ship sails off, while refugees were so determined to get on the *Tung An* that 200 are reported to have drowned in a mad scramble for safety on the South China Sea.

The captain of the freighter said Thursday that some of the refugees were seriously ill and that one went berserk and started biting others.

In a radio interview, *Huey Fong* refugees begged authorities to let the young and old off the ship and asked for doctors to treat the sick.

Tran Le Phan, a 19-year-old Vietamese woman on the *Tung An*, said at least 20 children had died and were buried at sea before the freighter reached Manila Bay. Eight months pregnant, she was one of five persons allowed to leave the ship for medical treatment.

She said she was on the first boat picked up by the *Tung An* on Dec. 6. It was a small craft, carrying 400 people who had chipped in small amounts to escape their homeland.

She said many of the refugees were ethnic Chinese who had been forced to work for meagre wages on farms or in factories after their properties had been confiscated.

Passengers on the ship patted their stomachs to signal they wanted food when correspondents tried unsuccessfully to draw up alongside. The stench of poor hygiene and the ship's rotting

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Did volcanoes spew first seeds of life?

MOSCOW (UPI) — A group of Soviet scientists says volcanoes may have spawned the first living organism that fueled the evolutionary process and created man.

The Tass news agency said Thursday the theory was developed by scientists at the Institute of Volcanology, at the Far Eastern Centre of the Soviet Academy of Sciences.

They found that volcanic ashes contain over 200 complex pre-biological compounds and almost all the main components essential for the existence of a living cell.

"The scientists discovered micro-organisms living in extreme conditions, in a high-temperature and acidic environments, in solutions of suphuric and muriatic acids," Tass said.

'Welfare queen' gets 8 years

COMPTON, Calif. (AP) — Barbara Jean Williams, who drove to her trial in a silver-colored Cadillac, was sentenced to eight years in prison on Thursday for collecting $240,000 in welfare funds for more than 70 children.

Superior Court Judge Kenneth Gale imposed the maximum sentence on the 33-year-old woman, saying the offence "is on a par with somebody stealing from the poor box of a church."

Court ruling aids anti-Trident 176

SEATTLE (AP) — A federal judge said Thursday he will let 176 Trident protesters use their argument that the nuclear-missile submarine would be a greater harm than their act of trespassing on the Trident base at Bangor.

However, Francis Diskin, an assistant prosecutor, objected to U.S. District Judge Donald Voorhees' ruling. Diskin had asked the judge to exclude that testimony as irrelevant.

The defendants are charged with illegally re-entering the United States Navy's Trident submarine base at Bangor on Washington's Hood Canal last May 23 after receiving formal letters barring them from the site.

On Wednesday the judge accepted a motion for dismissal of charges against five of the original 181 protesters.

Chaos reigns as Iran's refineries shut down

Colonist wire services

TEHRAN — Iran's strike-plagued oil industry, backbone of the economy, virtually shut down Thursday and new anti-shah rioting raged across the country with reports of dozens of lives taken in the violence.

Anti-American protests continued and in the southern city of Shiraz demonstrators firebombed an Iranian-American cultural centre as Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi's foes demanded the Carter administration withdraw its support from the monarch.

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At least 30 people were reported killed in clashes between anti-shah demonstrators and troops in the southern city of Ahvaz, and three more died in the northwestern city of Qazvin, where rioters attacked a police station.

A ranking Moslem holy man appealed to the thousands of striking oil workers to return to work, but said they should produce only enough fuel for domestic needs. Iranian state radio urged everyone to conserve fuel.

Garbage collection in this city of 4.5 million was being halted as an economy move, and banks throughout the country began closing because of a shortage of bank notes. Cash supplies have been destroyed by fires and delayed by transportation disruptions.

The strike has cost Iran, normally the world's second largest oil producer, about $70 million a day in lost foreign exchange.

Gasoline was rationed and bus service in the capital was halted.

The radio reported anti-shah rioting in several cities that have been the scene of almost continous fighting in recent days.

Troops fired over the heads of several hundred demonstrators who surged through the streets within three blocks of the heavily guarded U.S. embassy compound here. Demonstrators burned cars and buses but the mobs appeared smaller than in recent days, apparently because the Moslem weekend began Thursday. Witnesses said eight to 10 persons were wounded by army gunfire in Tehran.

The worst violence of the day was reported to have occurred in Ahvaz, where an Iranian doctor told Reuter by telephone: "About 30 to 40 people have been killed and more than 15 injured in gunfire."

The doctor said nearly 10 bank branches and the offices of the national airline, Iranair, were also set ablaze.

Oil-industry sources said all of Iran's refineries had shut down, and no petroleum was being refined anywhere in the country. The sources said about 300,000 barrels of crude oil were taken from the ground Thursday but were being stored until the refineries began operating again. Iranian wells normally produce about six million barrels of crude daily.

As many as 180 automobiles were seen lining up at service stations in Tehran. The government has begun limiting customers to 6.6 gallons per stop. The radio said 18 of the city's 105 gasoline stations ran out of fuel.

Boats

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cargo of cattle food and rice drifted across the bay.

The Philippines government has prohibited journalists from approaching the ship but Andy Hernandez, a U.S. wire service photographer, eluded police launches to board the *Tung An* on Thursday.

"People were everywhere," he said. "Many were sleeping. Some lined up at the galley for their breakfast ration of rice-and-water gruel and others held tin cans filled with a tasteless-looking potion. The only other food I saw was an open container of powdered milk in the hot and foul-smelling hold."

The Hong Kong saga took a new twist Thursday when British authorities accused the *Huey Fong*'s skipper of misleading both Taiwan and the refugees by sending a message to the foreign ministry in Taipei which was "a total misrepresentation."

He said the Hong Kong government had told him the refugees would be accepted there if Taiwan refused them. This was not the case, a government spokesman in Hong Kong said.

Hong Kong has ferried 17,000 pounds of supplies to the *Huey Fong*, and Thursday returned to the ship two refugees earlier airlifted to hospital but now declared fit.

Hong Kong already is temporary home to 4,000 Vietnamese refugees.

The Philippines made its appeal when Deputy Foreign Minister Jose Ingles told the envoys of 19 Western countries, including Canada, to ask their governments to take refugees.

He said his government, already giving temporary haven to 2,300 other refugees who arrived in small boats, had no more facilities available.

The Philippines decided to allow the *Tung An* to remain at anchor for at least a week in the hope of a positive response from the 19 governments. Another boat was to be placed alongside the *Tung An* today to provide medical help.

Bennett to meet MB-takeover combatants

gives the government a strong hand to play.

Section 50 of the act states that the provincial government has the power to cancel licences to harvest crown timber if ownership of a corporation changes.

Bennett said he had no intention of threatening the companies involved in the takeover battle. "I just want to discuss their future investment programs and our policies," he said—"their investment plans in all areas in B.C. during 1979 and the years that will follow."

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While refusing to shake the big stick at the companies, the premier left no doubt that "our government will take such actions as will be necessary following (next week's) meeting."

He said he was particularly interested in hearing the investment plans of "both Canadian Pacific and MacMillan Bloedel in B.C. in the coming year."

When pressed for further details on government attitudes at the conference table, the premier said he had no intention of "opening those discussions now, through the media" but he added, "I'll keep you well informed."

His major concern, he said, was to "make certain that any changes made in a company (MB) of this nature would be in the interest of the stability and future growth of British Columbia's economy.

"I view with alarm any suggestion of a shift of ownership where this company would lose its B.C. identity. There are other companies, Canadian in nature, but MacMillan and Bloedel is uniquely British Columbian in character and nature and has reflected the growth of this province for many years."

In Vancouver, after a Thursday morning meeting of its board of directors, MacMillan Bloedel said it was giving serious consideration to the purchase offer from CPI, but would continue to try to gain control of Domtar.

MB president Calvert Knudsen said later that he "had no comment at this time" on the premier's statements. CP president Ian Sinclair, flying east from Vancouver Thursday afternoon, could not be reached for comment.

Domtar executives said they would not comment on MacMillan-Bloedel's statement. In Montreal, Domtar spokesman John Gossip said company officials were willing to meet with Bennett, but would not reply until they received a formal invitation.

The MacMillan Bloedel board announcement said that the company "will proceed by way of an offering circular to purchase a sufficient number of shares of Domtar Inc. which, when added to MacMillan Bloedel's present holdings of 18.9% of the shares of that company, will result in a total holding of 51% of the present issued shares of Domtar."

The directors said that they reviewed the proposed offer of Domtar to the shareholders of MacMillan Bloedel and said that in their view if such an offer were made, it would not be acceptable.

MacMillan Bloedel and Domtar shares continue to be barred from trading on Canadian and U.S. stock exchanges.

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DC-8 crash

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about four blocks from the crash site, said: "It sounded like thunder and there was a flash like lightning. The airplane clipped a light pole right by our apartment and it came down heading west on Burnside. He did land. It hit a house."

Some survivors were taken to the Free Will Baptist Church and then taken by municipal bus to the airport.

Hal Lindsay, a Federal Aviation Administration duty officer in Seattle, said the pilot reported a gear warning light was on and there was a possible problem with the landing gear. He said the plane flew in a circle for more than a half hour.

"Subsequently, we don't know what happened," Lindsay said. "The plane crashed in the east portion of the city. The fuselage broke in half."

Asked if the warning light indicated that the gear would not go down, Lindsay replied: "That's a possibility, although they do have backup systems."

Charles Linderman, 31, of Alexandria, Va., said, "After clearing the mountains, the pilot proceeded to put down gear and there was a tremendous shudder," he said. "My wife and I were sitting just above the wing.

"What finally happened, it sounded like we didn't have any power, we hit something and bounced, then landed in some trees and knocked down a house," he added.

A 17-year-old passenger, Amy Conner of Bloomington, Minn., said the crew prepared the passengers for a possible crash landing and when she realized the plane was going down, "I just prayed. I was sitting next to another girl and we held hands."

Miss Conner, who was hospitalized for X-rays for possible ankle injuries, said that after the plane came to a halt, "I walked right out of the plane. I didn't go through the exit chute. I just walked out a hole right next to it into a tree."

Deborah Friedrich, 22, of Grand Rapids, Mich., a college student who boarded with Miss Conner, said she got scratched up from "falling through the pine trees" after she walked out of the downed plane. She said she had trouble seeing because she had to remove her glasses for the crash.

Four members of another family survived the crash. Steven Heltzen, 32, Milwaukie, Ore., carried his four-year-old nephew, Justin, off the craft. They were travelling with Heltzen's brother, John, 38, and John's wife, Cathy, 22.

Steven Heltzen, when told that his brother and wife were all right and were being treated for minor injuries said, "Oh, thank God! Thank God! Oh hallelujah!"

"I want you to print this," Heltzen told a reporter. "The Lord Jesus saved our lives. We were praying and the Lord told me he was going to do a miracle."

Harold Taylor, a resident near the Baptist church used as a first aid station, said he saw the plane coming down.

"It looked about 50 feet off the ground. It was all blue, sort of purple," Taylor said. He said the plane crashed about three blocks from his home.

Miss Cueren said no one aboard seemed to expect to land anywhere but at the airport. "The crew never said they were going down in a field."

George Lindeman of Portland, accompanied on the flight by his wife and four children, described how it felt when the plane actually went down.

"There was a series of three or four bumps, just little ones, then there were bounding jolts . . . and suddenly I was forced into the seat ahead of me. And then it stopped so suddenly everybody was surprised.

"There was maybe a second of panic and then everybody realized we were okay."

The 500 Fund: Start for 1979

The *Colonist* 500 Fund has a bounty that will ensure a head start for the Christmas 1979 edition of the drive.

The fund, which comes to life each pre-Christmas season and, supported by public donations, enables cheques to be sent to needy Greater Victorians just before Christmas Day, this year reached a record total of $61,693.

And after the cheques had been sent, donations continued—so bountifully that an extra eight cheques for $123 each were mailed Thursday for delivery today, and still the fund has money for the start of the 1979 fund.

Any more donations will also go toward next year's drive.

Latest donations:

Carried forward from end of 1978 fund drive	$193.06
Sherry Gale	18.00
Orrok W. H. Roberts	10.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. Ebell	5.00
Motor Vehicles Branch	30.85
G. and R. Dewhurst	10.00
Margurite Macdonald	10.00
Alan F. MacDonald	10.00
Merry Christmas from L. D., and Dean	6.00
Honora J. Dickie	5.00
Swiftsure Inn	10.00
From T. J. R. and Grace Waters	20.00
Rona Dexter	20.00
In lieu of Christmas cards, Violet G. Wilson	10.00
George H. Knight	10.00
Kamy and Harry Wong	5.00
H. I.	2.00
Mrs. Emma Herbert	10.00
Tom and Eileen Citra, Duncan	10.00
Susan Nash	25.00
Joseph Brown	25.00
From Kate and Allan Gadsden	10.00
J. L. M.	10.00
Piercy Investments Ltd.	50.00
Ernie L. Peters	10.00
W. M. R.	10.00
Gail Miller	10.00
Irene Eastwood	5.00
Carmel and Clive Loader	15.00
M. Anderson	3.00
Anonymous penny sack	11.96
In lieu of Christmas cards — Shirley Zerbin	20.00
Anonymous	540.00
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Anonymous	2.00
June and Gus Bergh	15.00
Anonymous	55.00
Dorothy L. O'Connell	10.00
Lucy L. Glascock	5.00
Anonymous	55.00
In memory of David Burr	10.00
Commerce Capital Trust	50.00
Tobler Family	25.00
John Black	10.00
Vanhall Antiques Ltd.	20.00
Anonymous	5.00
Mrs. M. Agatha McLeod	15.00
W. Reilly	5.00
Anonymous	60.00
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Guest	4.00
1979 Graduating Class, University of Victoria	100.00
Housewives Register	10.00
The Victoria Drill Girls Alumnae	40.00
Mr. and Mrs. Glenday	10.00
Mrs. Beryl Edgell	25.00
Total	$1,680.87
Eight cheques sent out at $123 each	984.00
Balance on hand to start 1979 Fund	$696.87

The weather

Dec. 29, 1978

Clear and cold. Winds fresh northeasterly. Thursday's precipitation: nil. Sunshine 7 hours 0 minutes. Recorded high and low at Victoria airport —2 and —5. Today's forecast high and low —1 and —10. Today's sunrise 8:06, sunset 4:25. Moonrise 6:29 a.m., moonset 3:57 p.m. Saturday outlook: little change.

East coast of Vancouver Island — Clear and cold. Winds fresh to strong northeasterly. Thursday's precipitation: nil. Recorded high and low at Nanaimo —1 and —8. Forecast high and low —2 and —11. Saturday outlook: little change.

West coast of Vancouver Island — Clear and cold. Winds moderate northeasterly. Forecast high and low at Tofino 1 and —8. Saturday outlook: little change.

North coast of the Mainland — Cloudy with clear periods. Winds gusty near mainland inlets. Forecast high and low 0 and —15. Saturday outlook: little change.

Extended outlook, Sunday through Tuesday — a few rain or snow showers New Year's Day and Tuesday, temperatures below normal. Highs 0 to 2. Lows —7 to —2.

READINGS

	Max.	Min.	Prec.
St. John's	1	—1	—
Halifax	2	—4	2.0
Fredericton	0	—6	—
Charlottetown	1	—5	—
Montreal	—12	—16	—
Ottawa	—12	—18	—
Toronto	—4	—14	—
Thunder Bay	—8	—31	—
North Bay	—15	—24	—
Kenora	—14	—29	1.0
Winnipeg	—14	—33	5.5
Churchill	—24	—29	—
The Pass	—28	—35	—
Brandon	—18	—26	1.8
Regina	—18	—21	0.4
Saskatoon	—25	—27	1.4
Prince Albert	—27	—31	0.4
North Battleford	—25	—29	2.2
Swift Current	—17	—24	3.2
Medicine Hat	—20	—23	2.3
Lethbridge	—18	—21	3.9
Calgary	—20	—24	1.0
Edmonton	—23	—29	—
Cranbrook	—12	—20	—
Castlegar	—8	—16	—
Penticton	—9	—10	—
Revelstoke	—9	—14	—
Vancouver	—2	—9	—
Prince Rupert	—4	—9	—
Terrace	—14	—16	—
Stewart	—9	—21	—
Port Hardy	—1	—4	—
Tofino	1	—6	—
Comox	—1	—6	—
Prince George	—21	—35	—
Williams Lake	—17	—26	—
Kamloops	—10	—17	—
Dawson City	—19	—29	0.2
Whitehorse	—15	—20	1.2
Fort Nelson	—28	—36	—
Fort St. John	—22	—27	—
Peace River	—23	—32	0.3
Yellowknife	—28	—41	0.8
Inuvik	—27	—37	—
Seattle	—1	—7	—
Spokane	—11	—16	4.1
Portland	2	—7	—
San Francisco	13	7	—
Los Angeles	15	9	—
Phoenix	17	7	—
Las Vegas	12	0	—
Chicago	—2	—8	—
New York	—1	—4	—
Miami	24	18	—

TIDES AT VICTORIA
(Tides listed are Pacific Standard Time)

	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
	H M	Ft.	H M	Ft.	H M	Ft.	H M	Ft.
29	0555	8.1	0745	7.9	1240	9.7	2050	0.2
30	0625	8.2	0840	7.9	1330	9.6	2130	0.2
31	0645	8.4	0935	7.8	1415	9.3	2220	0.6

TIDES AT SOOKE

	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
	H M	Ft.	H M	Ft.	H M	Ft.	H M	Ft.
29	0235	7.6	0520	7.3	1155	10.7	2020	0.9
30	0320	7.8	0640	7.3	1245	10.7	2115	0.9
31	0400	8.0	0755	7.3	1340	10.5	2200	1.1

TIDES AT FULFORD HARBOUR

	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht	Time	Ht
	H M	Ft.	H M	Ft.	H M	Ft.	H M	Ft.
29	0555	11.0	1020	9.3	1445	10.8	2220	0.1
30	0640	11.3	1115	9.1	1530	10.6	2305	0.2
31	0710	11.5	1210	8.8	1635	10.3	2350	0.7

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Trade deficit a record

U.S. barometer dips

WASHINGTON (AP)—Americans bought $1.95 billion more than they sold in trade with foreigners last month, pushing the year's trade deficit to a record high, the U.S. commerce department said Thursday.

In another report, the department said its index of future economic trends dropped 0.6 per cent in November, the first decline since July.

The November trade deficit, though smaller than the October trade gap of $2.13 billion, pushed the deficit for the year to a record $26.74 billion. The old record was $26.5 billion last year.

The trade problem has been a big contributor to the decline of the dollar and growing inflation in this country. However, the Carter administration expects the trade deficit to fall sharply next year.

Administration officials said Thursday they were encouraged that the monthly trade deficits are smaller than they were at the start of the year.

"The pattern of recent months clearly indicates that the trade picture is improving," said Commerce Secretary Juanita Kreps. "Monthly deficits have averaged below $2 billion for the past six months, compared with monthly deficits of $2.9 billion in the fourth quarter of last year and $3.2 billion in the first quarter of this year."

A treasury department spokesman said the monthly deficit is "generally in line with our expectations and once again reflects an improvement."

The commerce department said the main reason for the November decline in the index of leading economic indicators was a drop in the money supply. That could help ease inflation, but it also could lead to slower economic growth and fewer jobs in the coming year.

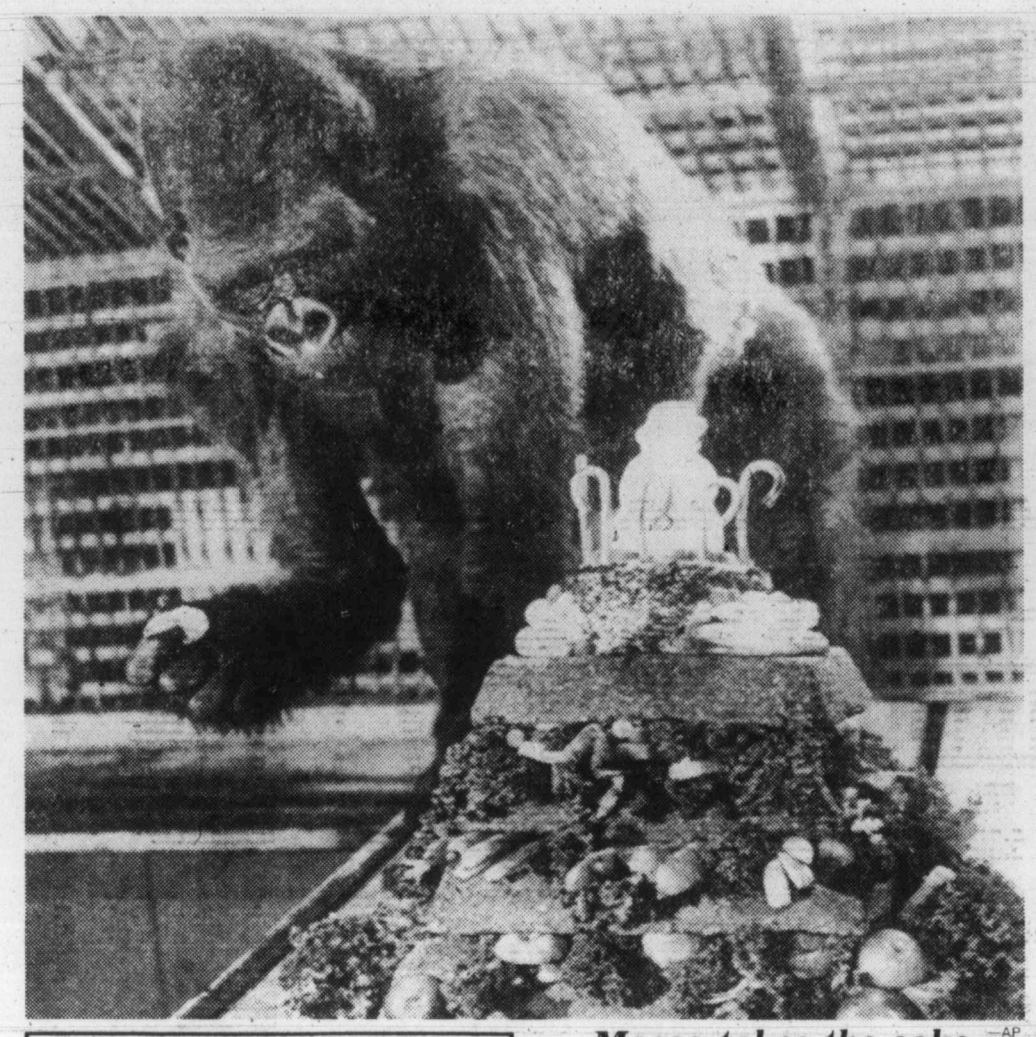
The index is designed to forecast economic downturns and recessions in advance, but it would take several months to indicate a trend.

Administration economists are expecting slower economic growth next year, but private economists disagree over whether it will mean a recession.

The trade report had a few bright spots despite the record imports of $15.21 billion.

The country actually sold $359 million more in manufactured goods than it bought from other countries. Americans bought fewer foreign cars from Japan and Germany and spent less on imported television sets and stereos. Meanwhile, U.S. sales of airplanes continued to grow rapidly.

Imported oil continued to be the main cause of the trade deficit, but the department had expected even more oil imports in November.



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Massa takes the cake

Massa, believed to be the world's oldest captive gorilla, pulls a piece from his birthday cake Thursday as the Philadelphia zoo celebrated his 48th birthday. The cake was made of enriched grain and meat garnished with some of Massa's favorites such as bananas, oranges, kale, apples and carrots.

Drug cache found intact

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (UPI)—A half-ton safe full of morphine, methadone, cocaine and potentially lethal experimental drugs that had been stolen from a University of Michigan building was found Thursday in a shaft beneath the building.

The safe was never opened and its contents—in vials—remained intact, relieved officers said.

The safe was found by a plumber in an 18-foot-deep shaft beneath the university's Medical Science Building, where the theft occurred sometime Tuesday.

The pit, accessible from the building's ground floor by ladder, leads to tunnels which pipe steam heat to campus buildings. The safe was removed from a sixth-floor office by dolly and apparently lowered into the shaft by hoist, police said.

Investigators said the theft might have been the work of drug traffickers and had warned that if the substances were distributed in street narcotics trade, "God forbid . . . Who knows what would happen?"

"I'll tell you it makes it a happy day for us," one police official said after the safe was recovered.

Police said the safe was apparently placed in the shaft deliberately. Officers speculated the thieves probably planned to remove its contents later—perhaps over the New Year's weekend when the building would be unoccupied.

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Iran shutoff no problem for Canada

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NEW YORK—A prolonged shutoff of Iranian petroleum exports would have a significant effect on oil supplies, but the world market can withstand a brief halt in Iranian supplies, U.S. oil industry officials said Thursday.

"The key question is how long they will continue to have this relatively low export level," said Gary Ross, a senior economist with the Petroleum Industry Research Foundation, an industry-supported organization.

The continuing violence in Iran has halted oil exports from the country, which is normally the world's second-largest oil exporter, shipping six million barrels a day. Western Europe, Israel and Japan are all major buyers of the Iranian oil.

In Ottawa, petroleum industry experts said the interruption of oil exports from Iran is unlikely to have any noticeable effects in Canada, which gets most of its imported oil from Venezuela and Saudi Arabia.

The United States imported an average of 848,000 barrels a day of oil from Iran during the first nine months of the year—4.5 per cent of the country's oil consumption and 10.7 per cent of its imports.

It takes about 30 days to ship Iranian oil to the United States, so oil from that country will keep arriving for several weeks even if the disruptions continue.

During much of November and December Iranian exports were reduced to half their normal levels or less, but the industry was able to make up the difference, mostly with increased exports from Kuwait and Saudi Arabia, Ross said.

"In the short run, they can make it up even with zero production (in Iran)," Ross said. He added that a cutoff for a month or two would "have a real tightening effect" on oil supplies.

Iran provides 18.1 per cent of West Germany's total oil imports but a spokesman for the West German economics ministry says there is enough oil available on the free market to fill the gap.

The United Arab Emirates have assured France that they will attempt with other oil-exporting countries to compensate for any French oil shortages resulting from the loss of supplies from Iran.

Israeli officials said their country was in no danger of running out of oil despite the crisis in Iran, which usually supplies about 70 per cent of Israel's oil requirements.

Energy ministry officials in Jerusalem said Israel was buying oil from Mexico at a five-per-cent premium over the price of Iranian oil.

Viets' losses —1,000 dead

BANGKOK (AP)—Cambodia said today that its forces had repulsed major Vietnamese tank and infantry thrusts into Cambodian territory, killing or wounding about 1,000 Vietnamese troops.

Radio Phnom Penh, monitored in the Thai capital, said the Dec. 25-28 attacks were into northeastern Cambodia and in the eastern rubber plantations where much of the border fighting has occurred.

The Phnom Penh broadcast said the four-day battles were the most severe in recent months.

Fighter planes supporting the Vietnamese attacked and caused some property damage, the broadcast said.

It said about 600 Vietnamese were killed or wounded in Ratanakiri province. In the fighting in the east, more than 400 Vietnamese were killed or wounded and three tanks, four artillery pieces and six trucks were destroyed, Phnom Penh said.

It said the attackers in both areas were driven back into Vietnam.

Military analysts in Bangkok have said that most of the dry-season fighting has been around the Cambodian towns of Snoul, Mimot and Krek, with the Vietnamese apparently advancing slowly to the northwest and the vital Mekong River.

That area is about 160 kilometres east of Phnom Penh, the Cambodian capital, and 128 kilometres northwest of Ho Chi Minh City, formerly Saigon.

Border warfare between the two Communist regimes erupted soon after their forces defeated U.S.-backed governments in Phnom Penh and Saigon in 1975.

White exodus faster

SALISBURY (UPI)—Rhodesia Thursday reported a record exodus of whites in November, worsening a trend that has cast doubts on the interim government's ability to fight a guerrilla insurgency.

The figures released in the monthly digest of statistics showed 2,057 whites emigrated from Rhodesia last month and only 223 arrived—a net outflow of 1,834 that surpassed the previous high figure of 1,634 in December 1963.

The November figures increased the loss of whites for the first 11 months of 1978 to 10,938—30 more than for all of 1977, which was a record year. They also showed that 2,600 men of fighting age left the country in the first eight months.

The exodus reflected a serious erosion of white confidence in the biracial government of Prime Minister Ian Smith and raised fears that the war against the Patriotic Front guerrillas might eventually be lost. Whites provide vital services and run Rhodesia's armed forces.

The military command reported 32 deaths in recent days, including 15 black guerrillas, four collaborators and one cattle rustler killed by Rhodesian troops. It said guerrillas had slain nine black civilians, two soldiers and a German Jesuit priest.

The priest, the Rev. Gerhard Peiper, 38, of Berlin, was killed when 30 insurgents raided his mission in eastern Rhodesia Tuesday night, the command said.

The white community in this country of some 6.7 million blacks is now believed to number about 250,000 people, down from an estimated 275,000 in 1975.

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What do we owe the children?

THE NEW YEAR almost upon us has been designated the *International Year of the Child*. By chance, the government of British Columbia is in the throes of writing a new Family and Child Services Act.

To its credit, the government has invited everyone to offer their opinions on the draft bill and the time for doing so has been extended to the end of March.

The response to the proposed bill to date has been highly critical but it has been from people and associations closely linked to professional child care. Could they have an unreasonable bias? Or are they the ones who know what it's all about? Ordinary people, who want to see an act which does good things for families and children in dire need without mortgaging the province, find it hard to understand what are the issues involved.

At the heart of the debate is the question of how much society owes the relatively few families and children who get in real trouble. While such families may be few, they can prove extremely expensive. The government bill, reflecting the philosophy of the former minister Bill Vander Zalm and doubtless many others, says plainly that the responsibility — moral, legal and financial — for children belongs to their parents. It goes on to say, in effect, that the government will provide help of one kind or another for families needing it — but there is no obligation on the state to do so.

That in itself would be an unrealistic philosophy. Of course parents *should* be responsible for their children. We don't need a government act to tell us that. The reality is that some parents can't or won't care adequately for their children and these are the people the bill is all about.

What the draft really reflects is the government's generally conservative view that the state has gone far enough in delivering social services, too far in some cases. That is a view a lot of people share. Otherwise we would still have a New Democrat government in this province.

But among social services there must be priorities. And surely very little, if anything, should rank above children in need. The bill does nothing to give such children their own relevant set of legal rights. As drafted, it would enable the cabinet to quickly and easily change the rules. It appears more concerned with keeping government clear of any expensive commitment than it is with making any commitment to children.

Debtors' prison

CAN SOMEONE, in the name of justice, pay to keep someone else in jail? They can in Connecticut.

Elaine Summers, a lawyer, is paying $21 a day to keep Joseph Polumbo in prison. He was convicted of trying to sexually assault her. The court ordered him to pay her $12,000. He hasn't — because he can't or won't.

Under a rarely-used state statute, which allows creditors to have debtors jailed in special cases involving court-ordered judgments, Summers is keeping Polumbo behind bars by paying the cost of his keep there. As long as she does, he will stay in jail until he either pays the damage award or proves he can't.

Now that's a statute which begs some questions: is it the state or the victim sitting in judgment? What would happen to another victim who didn't have the money Summers has? What will happen if Polumbo can't or won't make good on the court penalty?

Sam Bawlf, British Columbia's new minister in search of bad, useless and unnecessary law, is not likely to encounter anything quite so bizarre as he rifles through the statutes and regulations of this province. Or is he?

China would woo, not war with Taiwan

By FREDERIC MORITZ
Christian Science Monitor

HONG KONG — China has begun a "peace offensive" aimed at pressuring Taiwan into a "dialogue" leading to eventual "reunification."

With diplomatic normalization between Peking and Washington set for Monday, China quickly is offering Taiwan's leaders a carrot in the form of security through accommodation.

According to some analysts, the purpose may also be to: (1) help President Carter win public support for his normalization policy by convincing Americans that China's intentions toward Taiwan are peaceful, and (2) lessen any temptation for Taiwan to turn to the Soviet Union for support.

But Taiwan's President Chiang Ching-kuo has rebuffed the latest peace overtures from Peking, declaring he will not talk with Communist China and announcing a hike in defence spending. It remains to be seen whether the withdrawal of American recognition eventually will cause Taiwan's leader gradually to change his approach.

First signs of the offensive were the declarations of two former Nationalist officials broadcast Dec. 18 by Peking Radio. The two men, now part of Communist China's "Chinese People's Consultative Conference," offered personally to go to Taiwan to bring about reconciliation between the two sides.

"We came to Peking in 1949 to conduct peace talks on behalf of the Nationalists. Now with the consent of the Taipei authorities, we would like to go there and exchange views with our old friends, including Mr. Chiang Ching-kuo," the men were quoted as saying, pointedly indicating a willingness to deal personally with Chiang.

The two officials are Liu Fei, a former Nationalist general sent by Chiang Kai-shek to negotiate with the Chinese Communists in 1949, and Li Chun-lung, an adviser to the Nationalist delegation during the 1949 talks. They later switched to the Communist side. Chiang immediately rejected the offer, declaring, "There is no way for me to allow these two traitors to come to Taiwan."

In another conciliatory sign, China's Trade Minister Li Chiang told a Hong Kong press conference Dec. 18 that China would be willing to trade directly with Taiwan. (Indirect trade already exists through Hong Kong).

These events coincide with the reported comments by an unofficial Chinese representative, Chen Yi-sung. Japan's Kyoto News Agency quoted Chen, who is a member of the standing committee of China's National People's Congress, as saying work already had begun to open the way for peaceful negotiations with Taiwan.

Chen reportedly said agreement on reunification could be reached within a year and that efforts by Vice Premier Teng Hsiao-ping and other Chinese leaders to advocate peaceful talks had led to the speedy normalization agreement with the United States. Chen added that he was personally in favor of a transitional period until Taiwan completes its "socialist reform."

Chen's views do not necessarily represent official policy. But in what some analysts see as a trial balloon, he first publicly voiced Peking's current emphasis on peaceful solution of the Taiwan issue in comments to Japanese newsmen last summer.

In public, China's leaders repeatedly have refused to surrender the possible use of force. Privately, sources close to Chinese official thinking say such a pledge would remove Taiwan's incentive to negotiate and encourage a possible flirtation with the Soviet Union. (Chiang still is ruling out any talks with the Soviet Union).

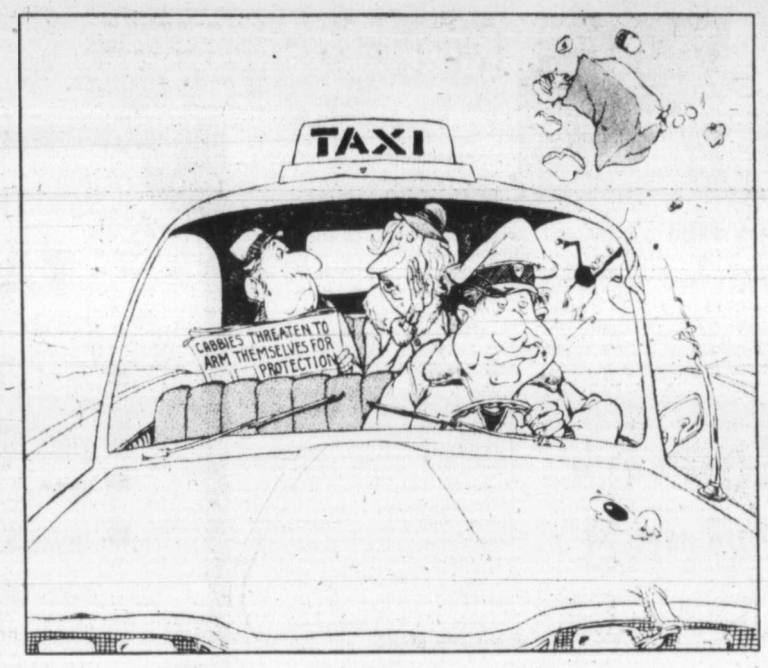
But Chinese leaders no longer speak of "liberating Taiwan" with its implication of directly overturning the present government. Instead they use the word "reunify."

U.S. Secretary of State Cyrus Vance has said China has given no "explicit" pledge to refrain from force. But China has not "contradicted" President Carter's expression of American interest in peaceful resolution of the issue, he adds.

Publicly it is still unclear exactly what China would be willing to offer Taiwan in either private or public contacts.

Teng publicly has said that China would not force Taiwan's people to accept a lower standard of living by forbidding foreign investment on the island. In private, sources close to official Chinese thinking say China would be prepared to offer guarantees to foreign investors in Taiwan as well as a long period of autonomy for the island.

But for Chiang, any formal agreement could be extremely difficult. Taiwan is set up as a national government with representatives from every province in China. Integration of Taiwan as a part of Communist China would thus require complete reorganization of Taiwan's government to represent only one province. That would deprive the Nationalist Party of its ideological claim to rule.



"Make sure you tip him well — he may be armed."

Richard Jackson

Tommy and the time machine or having the last laugh

OTTAWA — Remember "Little Audrey?"

How she laughed and laughed and laughed.

That's The Hon. Thomas Clement Douglas, New Democratic MP for the Vancouver Island riding of Nanaimo-Cowichan-The Islands.

But unlike "Little Audrey" who, if you've forgotten, belonged back in the crazy days of "Knock, knock, who's there?" Tommy Douglas has something really to laugh about — a more or less true-to-life like joke making the rounds about the old Commonwealth Co-Operative Federation which was reborn as the New Democratic Party.

Back in 1944 when Tommy resigned his House of Commons seat after nine years in Parliament and returned to Saskatchewan politics to become Canada's first socialist premier, he popped a faithful follower into the new CCF government's time-machine to get a readout on the future.

In those days of early socialist provincial power, the CCF was no big deal — and still isn't except in one most remarkable respect.

But back to Tommy and his man in the time machine.

Impatient and perhaps perturbed about the party's future, Tommy pushed the recall button and out of the machine popped his man with his reading of the years to come.

"Tommy," he reported, "in 34 more years our party is going to have one of its very own in control of the federal finance department, the CBC and Rideau Hall."

And the practical Tommy laughed and laughed and laughed.

But those 34 years passed and it was late in 1978.

Bossing the CBC was Al Johnston, once a power in the Saskatchewan CCF-NDP government.

Deputy Minister of Finance was Tommy Shoyama, another Saskatchewan socialist alumnus.

And presiding in Rideau Hall as Governor General was Ed Shreyer, former NDP premier of Manitoba.

They're telling this "Little Audrey" story around Parliament today, and laughing and laughing and laughing is Tommy Douglas.

He never believed the readout from the time machine in 1944.

But miracles have come to pass. And a socialist is first in the land.

Not to cast a pall on the holiday season, but this going-through-the-motions of "doing something" about the Post Office by turning it into a Crown corporation is to laugh.

It's a straight cave-in to the militant postal workers, and if it operates like other federal Crown corporations, Parliament is creating a born loser.

Let's look at the Post Office business record — seeing as how it is to be a Crown corporation and presumably expected to operate as a commercial enterprise — and see how bleak the prospect.

You wouldn't believe what's happened to the Post Office in the last 15 years if the government's own figures weren't staring you in the face.

In 1961 it handled about four billion pieces of mail at a cost of $207 million with a staff of 30,000.

In 1977 — last year of complete record — it processed 5.7 billion pieces of mail at a cost of $1.3 billion with 60,000 employees.

So it figures that while the work load increased by 42 per cent, the staff grew by 100 per cent and the cost by 655 per cent.

At the same time first class letter rates went from five to 14 cents.

And the deficit — man, that deficit! — grew by a staggering 11,500 per cent, from $5 million in 1961 to $575 million in 1977.

Total deficit for the 15 years: more than $2 billion.

And Parliament thinks a Crown corporation can do something about it.

Joseph C. Harsch

Moscow faces two dangers from Romania's defiance

WASHINGTON — Nicolae Ceausescu, president, party boss and strongman of Romania, presumably has calculated carefully before defying his mighty Soviet neighbor on three matters of major concern to Moscow.

To Moscow's neighbors, and most particularly to those in Europe, the question is whether he has calculated correctly and will get away with his defiance.

The story of that defiance began in Moscow Nov. 22 and 23 when the Soviets tried to persuade their official allies in the Warsaw Pact to join them in condemning Camp David and China and to put all of their armed forces under Soviet command. Ceausescu refused on all three counts.

More than that, he went back home from Moscow, announced his refusal publicly and has since made a series of public speeches which in any Western country would be called a publicity campaign for his policies of defiance. It was one thing for him to refuse to sign up when in private in Moscow. It was compounding the offence to go home and do it publicly and defiantly for all the world to hear.

Romania is the only Warsaw Pact country which did not break off relations with Israel at the time of the 1967 war. It is the only one which has kept its relations open at all times with Communist China and the only one included in the visit which Chinese Chairman Hua Kuo-feng made to Europe and southern Asia last summer. And it is the only one which refuses to allow Soviet troops to enter its territory.

Ceausescu has practised deviation from the standard Moscow line for a long time but he has not done it so openly and defiantly before this. And this is the first time he has declared, in public, with flags waving all around, that:

"The army will not at any time take orders from outside."

This is the stiffest act of defiance of Moscow by any of the Communist countries of Eastern Europe since Alexander Dubcek's disastrous "Prague spring" of 1968. It is the fourth in the series of such defiances since the Second World War. Will it be the second to survive? Here is the record, so far:

1948: Marshal Tito of Yugoslavia refused to allow Soviet agents to infiltrate the Communist Party and government bureaucracy. Moscow denounced Tito as a deviationist, broke off party relations with Yugoslavia and moved Soviet troops in the Soviet-occupied portion of Austria up to the Yugoslav frontier. The world held its breath, but in the end Moscow did nothing overt.

1956: Hungary moved toward independence from Moscow. The Soviets appeared to acquiesce for a time, then sent armored columns crashing into Budapest. The deviationist movement was crushed and its leaders either fled the country or were executed, including Prime Minister Imre Nagy.

1968: Alexander Dubcek led a reform movement in Czechoslovakia which thrilled the Western world. Again, Soviet armored columns moved in.

Tito's Yugoslavia enjoyed one enormous advantage not available in Hungary or Czechoslovakia. There is no common frontier between the Soviet Union and Yugoslavia. For Soviet troops to enter Yugoslavia they would have had to advance through other territory. There is a short Soviet frontier with Czechoslovakia and with Hungary. There is a 560-mile common frontier between the Soviet Union and Romania.

Moscow must be greatly tempted to use its troops against Ceausescu. It would be so easy — in military terms. But China has become a more important factor in European affairs since 1968 and China has expressed its interest in Ceausescu's welfare.

The use of troops in Hungary and Czechoslovakia severely damaged Moscow's standing among Communist parties in the outside world. Use of them against Romania now would damage Moscow's current effort to revive "detente" with the United States, would alarm Western Europe, would offend Tito and would cause distress even in the most loyal of the Communist countries.

On the other hand, if Ceausescu makes good his defiance, others might be tempted someday to try to do the same. It is dangerous for Moscow to move against Ceausescu. It is also dangerous for them to let him get away with it. Which danger do they regard as being the greater?

Ceausescu has one advantage over the Czechs and Hungarians. He never has tolerated what we in the West would call democracy. He is the boss in Romania. He runs it firmly and in the Soviet centralized manner.

There is no danger to Moscow of the infection of democracy spreading into the Soviet Union from Romania as there was from Hungary and Czechoslovakia.

Perhaps that factor will spare Ceausescu the fate of Dubcek and Nagy. If he does survive, Tito in Yugoslavia no longer will be the sole surviving "deviationist" in Eastern Europe.

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Erma Bombeck

It was a mistake, but I had to try.

I bought my husband one of those sexy mood lights for Christmas.

It was like buying Lady Godiva a pocket comb. He didn't know what to do with it.

He opened the package, stared at it, picked it up, shook it and finally said, "I give up. What is it?"

"It's a mood light. You've seen those commercials, haven't you, of the couple who whisper, 'When we feel peaceful and serene, we turn on our WAVE light.' And you see this container of water on a seesaw that flows gently back and forth . . . back and forth . . ."

"I never saw it," he said.

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"To what?"

"To me."

"It looks like an underwater Rorschach test."

"It's too late for us, isn't it? We're beyond help."

"That depends. What do you want it to do for us?"

"Wouldn't you want to bring back the wonderful, exciting, unbridled passion of our younger years?" I said.

"How much energy does it take?"

"You have to get out of your chair first."

"Not me! The lamp!"

"Just forget it," I said, sulking.

"You're sore, aren't you?" he said. "Look, I didn't know it meant so much to you. We'll turn it on and give it a chance to do the same thing."

We set the lamp on the TV set and both of us focused intently on it for nearly 10 minutes. "Anything?" I asked.

He smiled wickedly. "Do you know what those little particles of black moving ever so slowly in the subtle light remind me of?"

I shook my head.

"Anchovies."

"I would have said sausage with maybe just a hint of sage."

"How about . . . pepperoni?" he whispered.

"How about EVERYTHING!"

He bounded out of his chair and dialed the number at the pizza parlor. I turned off the mood light. Until they made one that delivered, we'd rely on our own resources.

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one man's opinion

THERE CAN BE little doubt that Canadians have wrapped themselves in an insulated cocoon of indifference. We, as a nation, refuse to believe the stories of recession and possible depression. We wear the blinkers of government protection, which, in the light of the fiscal fumblings of the past decade, is no protection at all — merely a delusion.

I bring this up today because of the unprecedented and lemming-like desire of Canadians (and our United States counterparts,) to spend money in drunken sailor fashion. Not only money we have, but money we haven't got. The recent Christmas season was a buoyant one for merchants the length and breadth of the land as we spent and spent and spent.

It is one thing to spend what we have on hand, but an entirely different thing to buy on the deferred payment plans and we have been doing this at a pell-mell clip, so much so that all of a sudden, government authorities are becoming worried.

Our credit card buying has reached astronomical figures. Excluding mortgages, Canadians now owe something like $1,800 apiece — that's every man, woman and child. Our personal debt load has reached $38 billion as the credit card business laughs all the way to the bank. I do not have the figures on mortgage debt, but it is safe to assume it is close to $100 billion. It is also safe to assume that many Canadians are actually spending more than 35 per cent of their income on debt payments, while 25 per cent would appear to be the national average. That's 25 per cent of the after-tax income.

THE BLIGHT OF the plastic card economy has not as yet been fully recognized by the populace. Some economists today are arguing that our consumer debt should be reduced by as much as 30 per cent and other economists, notably the former auditor general, Maxwell Henderson, flat out state the whole credit system should be scrapped and reintroduced with stringent safeguards. Henderson, for instance, puts credit card buying right up there with excessive government spending as a major cause of our inflation.

The U.S. of A. is experiencing the same pains. U.S. citizens are now $1 trillion in consumer debt — a figure that has top economists issuing warnings that such continued spending will fuel rather than retard inflation. In past recession periods or inflation periods, consumers reduced their credit buying and increased their personal savings. The result was a slowing of inflation by putting necessary braking power on the economy.

It is no secret that the Canadian economy is tied directly to the United States economy and by this yardstick, we can look for further monetary problems in 1979. We can look for a recession, we can look for further inflation, further damage to our already weakened dollar. We can look for a continuance, maybe even an escalation, of high unemployment. The best economic brains in the United States are predicting such continuances there — which means similar continuances in Canada.

AS THE YEAR 1978 comes to a close, we could receive no better advice for 1979 than the advice to curb our credit buying. U.S. interest rates may well reach previously untouched levels and a 13 per cent prime rate figure is not out of the question. That means the Canadian rate will be 14 per cent, which should lead you to the realization that credit buying will be a costly and stupid exercise. And remember too that credit buying interest runs considerably higher than prime rate — a minimum of 18 per cent.

Every time you use one of those plastic credit abominations, you lose ground in the battle against inflation. Chargex, Master Charge, Visa, any of them, are in the business of making money. They're in it to make at least 18 per cent on their investments, not to be the friendly finance company they like to propagandize you with.

Go ahead and use them, but at the same time, don't bleat when your future retirement benefits are ravaged because of the inflation you are so carelessly fueling at this time. Let the good times roll, forget the piper standing ominously in the wings waiting for his pound of flesh. And make no mistake, he'll get that pound of flesh one way or another and in the process, the Canadian economy will continue to drift in a sea of uncertainty.

Punch

"I want you bunch of thieving shysters to defend me on a slander charge."

Donation in French resented

Every year since Cardinal Leger began his work among the unfortunate people suffering from leprosy, we have made a donation toward helping with this worthy cause. However, this year an institute has taken over the management of the cardinal's affairs, and along with the usual magazine we received a self-addressed envelope to be used for our donation, in French only, as noted hereunder:

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I do not resent having everything we use or eat described in both English and French, but I very much resent having to forward my donation in an envelope made out solely in French. Because of this I have sent my cheque through to the usual address and hope that it reaches its destination as heretofore.

If Quebec thinks it is going to make the whole of Canada into a French-speaking one, I think is is suffering from a mental delusion, as we all feel it just cannot be done. I read an article in the Dec. 5 issue of the *Colonist*, written by a Edgar S. Efrat and titled: *Quebec should remember Rhode Island*, which clearly outlines what could happen should that province decide to go it alone.

I think our government of B.C. has gone as far as it should in respect to French in the schools, and I commend our premier for the stand he has taken in this regard. I feel he has proved himself to be a very good premier and can be listed among the best the province has had to date, as I have worked under many from the days of T. D. Pattullo onward.

What worries me most about the teaching of French in the early grades, that is for the children whose parents are not French or of French descent, is whether or not they will ever be able to express themselves in English like they should when they have completed their schooling.

Heaven knows the English spoken by some of our most brilliant students today is not what it should be and, if one is given to watching the program *Reach for the Top* as we do, there are very few of these seemingly bright young students who can spell even the most common words, nor can they give their meaning or how to pronounce them correctly. Also the young people of today appear never to have read any of the old classics on which we, of our generation, cut our teeth on, and the authors of same are just not known to them. So much for modern living and the television.

GRACE DOUGLAS,
1575 Begbie St.,
Victoria.

To the editor

To be considered for publication in entirety or in part, letters to the editor should be on subjects of general interest. Preference will be given those that are brief and to the point. Pen-names will be used, if requested, but all letters must be signed by the writer whose address also must be included.

Psychology for life now

It was with some squeamishness I read Mrs. Sofie Vincent's letter condemning "psychological nonsense" (Dec. 5). I even hesitate to reply to what I can either call her silliness, biasness, or ignorance on the subject to psychology. But I feel obligated in that there must be other people who have no idea of the function of psychology, or more specifically, of psychotherapy: something it appears Mrs. Vincent cannot distinguish between.

Mrs. Vincent states she thought shock therapy, group therapy and LSD treatment went out with the 50's.

Shock therapy, although not used as much as a few years ago, showed good results with some psychotics, either making them more receptive to other forms of therapy, or plainly just "bringing them around" so that they might function normally in society, and not have to be locked away in an institution.

Would Mrs. Vincent prefer these individuals to stay locked away, suffering in their abnormality?

Regarding group therapy: If Mrs. Vincent has ever seen the group therapy at EMI, where people with emotional and personality problems have their difficulties worked out through intense inter-personal confrontation in a "group" situation, then she has no right to comment on this activity. There are hundreds and hundreds of people in the Victoria area who have become more assertive or less inhibited through group therapy. This is to be scorned on?

And regarding LSD or any chemical therapy: without the use of medications (and even LSD has proven quite successful in helping some schizophrenics with their problems), many people who have had psychological difficulties arising from a bio-chemical imbalance would otherwise have to remain suffering, unable to cope with day-to-day living.

Mrs. Vincent continues, condemning psychology and psychiatry for trying to help parents. Anyone who has worked in the area will quickly tell you that a great percentage of problems people have are a direct result of the parents. To be quite crude about it, many people are not fit to be parents, having no idea how to bring up children. Psychology in this area is trying to guide prospective parents and help children psychologically damaged by their parents, not trying to take over as Mrs. Vincent says as an over reaction.

Then Mrs. Vincent says, "to be psychologist a human being is merely a body and brain." This silly generalization, based on the notion that all psychologists are radical behaviorists, ignores that psychology as a science, a human science, is attempting to understand and help people. And it would be impossible to count the number of people helped by psychology, or even just made aware of problems.

Mrs. Vincent does not realize there is no one cure for "psychological problems," just as there is no one cause. It can be a bio-chemical imbalance, environmental, heriditary, or any combination of things. Similarly, the correction or cure can be by use of medications, counselling or any number of therapies. And sometimes there is no cure, as with any medical problem.

Finally, Mrs. Vincent reveals her true colors, speaking of the soul, spirit, immortality, God, etc. I would remind Mrs. Vincent that the doctrine of Christianity places emphasis on helping "fellow man." This means in the here-and-now, not beyond the clouds or in the invisible. And psychology is attempting to help people in the here-and-now, so that people can get on with living, not with dying.

G. BLANK,
Box 1700,
Victoria.

Point made

In a Dec. 12 letter Philip G. Ney, stated, "At no other time in history has mankind engaged in the wholesale slaughter of its young. In North America, one-quarter of all newly-created lives are destroyed. The fine balance between humanity's creative urge for survival and its self-destructiveness is upset."

Dr. Ney's letter is the only one submitted that is concerned with human life. On this very same page and on the same date, I can count no less than four letters concerned with the lives of wild wolves. Could it be that wolves lives are four times more valuable than human lives? Dr. Ney, you certainly made your point!

FRED PERRY,
1655 Robert Lang Drive,
Courtenay.

Unitarian group helps Vietnamese

Re: Vietnam treatment questioned, *Colonist* Dec. 12.

- Dr. L. Hitschmanova, representing the Unitarian Service Committee of Canada, is not helping the Communist government of Vietnam, but the Vietnamese people.
- The USC is a non-political, non-denominational organization, operating solely on the humanitarian principle of understanding and compassion.
- The people of Vietnam have suffered and are still suffering from hunger, lack of clothing, shelter, industrial tools and education. However they are not suffering from lack of will to become self-respecting, self-sufficient citizens. They therefore deserve our help. Whether this help is channeled through the Red Cross, the USC or another organization, is the choice of the donor.
- Pertinent information on Unitarian Service Committee principles and approved performance is readily available from headquarters, 56 Sparks St., Ottawa, Ontario, K1P 5B1, Mrs. E. G. Woodward, 949 Grilse Lane, RR1, Brentwood Bay, phone 652-2025, or Mrs I. G. Weisse, 666 Wagar Ave. Victoria, phone 478-4219.

IDA G. WEISSE,
For Mrs. Hazel Woodward,
Chairman of Victoria workgroup.

False priorities

This a copy of a letter I wrote to the prime minister:

Many Canadians are absolutely flabbergasted that whereas your government is still spending BILLIONS of dollars on bilingualism, at the same time you consider it necessary to curtail the subsidy on wheat for ECONOMICAL reasons, causing an increase in the price of bread, an essential food for all, especially for low income and senior citizens.

We shall be very interested to hear what justification you have for this blatantly false idea of priorities.

Bilingualism is the most extravagant, wasteful and unwanted program in the whole tax system and with Quebec having become unilingual, is completely unjustified, and should be the first to be scrapped in order to improve the ailing Canadian economy.

The subsidy for bread should be the very last one to be discontinued.

We impatiently await an explanation.

MURIEL POWELL,
Cowichan Bay.

Grandparents petition for safety of children

For obvious reasons I do not usually consider anonymous letter writers really worthy of a response. However, the Victoria Branch of the Voice of Women, Canada, has asked me to share pertinent information that A Realist (*Colonist* Dec. 5) and your readers might appreciate.

With regard to that portion of his letter which asks your readers why don't we write to Brezhnev? For everyone's information then, let it be known please, that VOW has helped to circulate grandparents' petition to both Brezhnev and Carter since past June. Among the many filled-in petitions, which we have forwarded to the appropriate authorities, are names of highly placed people as well as ordinary citizens like ourselves, who "no more want their grandchildren to be fried" to quote one, than do you or I.

Our petition reads:

An open letter to U.S.A. President Carter and U.S.S.R. President Brezhnev: We, the undersigned, represent over a quarter of a billion people alive today on earth: We are grandparents.

We are very concerned about what kind of lives our grandchildren will have. We are proud of the great advances of science and technology, as well as the wonders of travel and communications. But our great concern is for the numbers of our grandchildren being trained to fight wars and to kill the grandchildren of others like ourselves.

At about the time of Mr. Carter's inauguration you both made explicit and strong statements in favor of nuclear disarmament and reversal of the arms race. We began to hope that you, as leaders of the most heavily armed nations were getting together on world-wide disarmament.

It is bad enough that nearly half the children on earth are underfed but to incinerate them with nuclear fireballs and leave even more of them to starve or die slowly of radiation, makes us sick.

Please get together at once to save our grandchildren from war, famine and unspeakable suffering. We love our grandchildren as you love yours. Let us treat all the grandchildren on earth as our very own!

MURIEL GOUGH AZMIER,
Victoria Ad Hoc Coalition for Disarmament,
1831 Fern St.,
Victoria.

Pornographic curb

Re: Proposed children's legislation.

Referring to the discussion about children in need of care and attention, I would like to point out a preventive step to be taken by the attorney general, the restriction of pornographic material, as requested by the Greater Victoria school board in their brief of May 30, 1978.

Pornography promotes irresponsible sexual behaviour, probably contributing to problems such as rape, incest, child abuse, and broken homes with their attendant ills. On one hand we are spending huge sums of money on edcation and welfare and on the other we are allowing our efforts to be weakened through the media.

I object to commercial greed being permitted to pull down our community standards to the detriment of the arts, human personality, and the family. Democracy is not anarchy, and restrictions for the general good are in order.

This requested action, feasible, fair, and a step in the right direction, would bear out our philosophy that home is the place for bringing up children and that we work on prevention as well as remedial services.

MRS. JOAN DREW,
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Toronto trading

TORONTO (CP) — The stock market, disregarding a weaker trend on Wall Street, closed moderately higher in moderate trading Thursday.

Simpson's Ltd. led the 39 block trades with 181,031 units at $8 a unit and a block of 146,000 shares at $2.50 a share. Hudson's Bay Co. was second with a block of 100,000 shares at $20 a share.

Among industrials, Federal Pioneer A moved up two to $35, Magna B 1⅞ to $16½, John Labatt A 1½ to $22½, National Sea A 1⅜ to $21 and Genstar 1¼ to $36¾.

Dome Pete dropped 1⅜ to $95¾, Glendale five cents to 60 cents and Hudson's Bay Co. ⅜ to $20.

Trading in shares of Canadian Pacific Investments Ltd. was resumed at the opening.

BOX SCORE

	Thur.	Wed.
Issues traded	547	517
Advances	212	182
Declines	127	157
Unchanged	198	178

ACTIVE STOCKS

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Ch'ge
Simpsn un	351710	$8	7¾	8	+ ½
Simpsons	157150	250	235	240	
HudBay	138535	$20½	20	20	—⅛
Cdn Pac	68448	$25	24⅞	25	+ ⅜
BC Forest	29750	$19¼	18¼	19	+1⅛
Mines and oils					
Highmont	3425	205	172	185	+15
Joutel Cop	34500	34	30½	32	—2
QMG Hldg	31200	97	92	92	—6
Gulfstrm	28600	42½	42	42	— ½
Cns Durhm	25900	135	130	135	+7
Calvert Gs	94000	55	45	55	+10
C Sth Pete	26200	$5⅞	495	5	— ⅛
Tr-Can Res	16500	185	182	182	—3
Total Pet	14600	$17⅞	17⅝	17¾	— ⅛

TSE 300 INDEX*

TSE 300	Close 1300.11	Ch'ge +4.48	high 1332.71	low 996.88
Minrls.	1082.91	+3.28	1214.99	769.09
Financ'l	1180.32	+3.40	1217.56	919.49
Oil, Gas	1833.68	—2.35	1839.39	1305.89
Industry	1028.57	+5.64	1090.05	822.68
Utilities	1449.26	+0.47	1464.95	1211.13
Consum	1218.89	+11.43	1218.89	888.77
Merch	1085.43	—7.24	1125.19	816.08
Forest	1388.53	+13.17	1680.22	834.62
Transp't	1660.48	+53.43	1660.48	1100.57
Pipeline	1441.78	—7.18	1507.12	1282.82
Manage	1441.70	+0.85	1520.12	1151.86
Comm.	1367.01	+4.51	1365.84	1006.38
Golds	1428.81	+11.25	1767.83	1205.62
Building	2302.30	+7.42	2319.85	1373.19

Up 11, down 3. Volume 2.43 million (1.93 million). Value $26.71 million ($20.64).

MARKET REPORT

Closing quotations for Thursday, Dec. 28, 1978

New York

NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market showed only mild reaction to news of a smaller than expected trade deficit in November and sank in late selling Thursday in what analysts said reflected continued worries over international and domestic developments.

CLOSING AVERAGES

	Open	High	Low	Close	Ch'ge.
30 Ind	806.57	813.06	802.75	805.96	—2.60
20 Trn	207.98	209.63	205.44	206.95	—1.81
15 Utl	97.83	98.71	97.50	98.14	+0.14
65 Stk	272.78	275.02	271.03	272.47	—1.04

Stocks volumes: Indus. 1,990,000; Trn. 646,300; Utils. 452,600; 65 Stk. 3,088,900. Total volume 25.44 million.

Worries that turmoil in Iran and lower oil production might lead to further oil price increases continued to weigh on the market. But some analysts also cited a government report showing a slight decline last month in the index of leading economic indicators as an additional factor.

The .6 percent decline in November to 137.7 percent of its 1967 base followed three months of healthy gains in the index designed to forecast economic trends. That report may have reinforced concerns that the economy is headed for a slowdown soon, said Alan Poole, an analyst at Laidlaw, Adams and Peck.

In the final tally of NYSE trading, there were more than twice as many declining issues as gainers. The NYSE composite of all common stocks fell .22 to 53.68.

QUOTATIONS

Alcan	33¾	Inland St	34⅝
Alcoa	48	IBM	304
Ald Chem	29	Int Harv	35⅝
Al-Chlm	29½	INCO	15⅜
Am Air	13¼	Int Paper	36¼
Am Brnd	50⅛	ITT	27⅛
Am Bcast	34½	Johns-Man	22⅝
Am Can	35¾	Kaiser Al	17¼
Am El P	21¼	Kennecott	19¾
Am Motor	4⅝	Kraftco	44⅝
Am Tel T	60⅝	LTV	6⅞
Ampex	14½	Litton	19⅞
Asarco	13⅝	Lockheed	19½
Ashland	30	McD Doug	32⅞
Atl Rich	56½	McLean	12¾
Avco	23	Merck	67¾
Avon	52⅝	Mer Lyn	15⅜
Bell How	15⅜	Minn MM	63¼
Bendix	36	Mo Pac	50
Beth St	19⅞	Mobil	68⅝
Boeing	—	Monsanto	47
Boise Cas	—	Motorola	39⅝
Borden	—	NCR Corp	61
Boro W	28⅝	Natomas	41¼
Bri My	35½	Newmont	21⅞
Brunswk	12¼	Nort Sim	16¼
Burl Ind	17	Owen Ill	17⅛
Burl Nor	35⅜	Pac Gas	22⅛
Burroughs	73½	Pan Am	6¾
Caterpill	58½	Pan El P	40
Col Bcast	50¼	Peop G	—
Celanese	40¼	Pepsico	25⅜
Chase M	29	Phil El	15½
Chessie	26⅛	Phil Morr	71⅞
Chrysler	8⅝	Phil Pete	31¾
Cleve El	17	Pit Bowes	23⅜
Coca-Cola	43⅛	Polaroid	51⅞
Col-Palm	16⅝	Proc Gam	88¼
Comsat	39⅛	Pub Sv EG	20⅜
Con Frt	22⅛	RCA	26⅜
Con Nat G	37¾	Repub St	23
Cont-Data	33⅞	Revlon	50¼
Con Ed	23¼	Rockwell	—
Cont Oil	28⅛	Schlumberg	94¼
Crown Ck	29⅝	Scott Pap	14
Crown Zell	30⅞	Sea Cstle	26⅜
Delta Air	41½	Sears	20
Disney W	40	Seatrain	7⅛
Digital E	53⅝	Shell	32⅛
Dow Chem	*25¾	Singer	13⅜
du Pont	127¼	Sony	8⅜
East Air	8½	So Cal E	—
East Kod	60¼	South Pac	25⅞
El Paso	15⅛	Sperry	44⅞
Exxon	49	Stand Cal	46⅞
Fair Cam	28⅜	Sun Oil	42⅝
Firestone	12¼	Teledyne	98
Ford	41¾	Telex	5⅞
Gam Sko	25⅞	Texaco	24
Gen Dyn	78½	Tex Gulf	18½
Gen El	47⅜	TWA	17⅛
Gen Food	32	Un Carb	33⅞
Gen Mot	54¾	Un Pac	52⅞
G Tel El	28⅞	Un Brd	8⅛
Gen Tire	24¾	Un Oil	56⅛
Ga Pac	24½	UAL Inc	2[illegible]
Gillette	25¼	U.S. Steel	[illegible]
Goodyear	16¼	West Air	8½
Greyhound	11⅛	Westhse	16⅜
Gulf Oil	24	Weyerhsr	25
Hilton	—	Wometco	—
Homestake	30½	Woolworth	19⅛
Honeywell	70½	Xerox	53⅜
Houston	27¼	Zenith	12¼

BOX SCORE

	Thur.	Wed.
Issues traded	1961	1947
Advances	465	455
Declines	1049	1043
Unchanged	447	449

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Complete tabulation of Thursday transactions. Quotations in cents unless marked $. z—Odd lot. xd—Ex-dividend. xr—Ex-rights. xw—Ex-warrants. Net change is from previous board-lot closing sale.

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Net Ch'ge
A and B					
Abacus	3714	440	430	430	+ 5
Abv Gln w	1300	365	360	365	+25
Abitibi	21250	$19⅝	19¼	19½	+ ¼
Action Trd	2100	92	92	92	
Adanac M	7000	65	65	65	— 5
Agnico E	6775	56	5⅞	5⅞	
Agra Ind A	700	$7	6¾	6⅞	— ⅛
Ahed C	1900	135	126	135	+ 8
Albany	9000	57	52	57	
Alt Energy	5790	$19⅛	18¾	18⅞	— ¼
Alta Gas A	1660	$15⅜	15⅛	15¼	+ ⅛
Alta G Dp	z1	$149	149	149	
Alta G F	187	$27⅝	27⅝	27⅝	
Alta G 9.76	480	$27½	27½	27½	— ⅛
Alta G 6½	1200	$24½	24¼	24½	+ ⅛
Alta Nat	460	$46	45	46	+ ½
Alcan	9715	$40¼	40⅛	40¼	
Algo Cent	200	$20½	20½	20½	
Algoma St	2188	$26⅜	26¼	26⅜	
All-Can B	500	$5	5	5	
Am Bonza	10222	$37⅞	36¼	36¾	— ¾
Am Larder	1000	27	27	27	
Am Eagle	600	218	218	218	— 2
Am Leduc	2000	28	28	28	— 1
Andres W A	230	$11⅞	11⅞	11⅞	
Andres W B	230	$11⅞	11⅞	11⅞	
Ang CT 4½	z15	$26½	26½	26½	
Ang U Dev	10300	400	375	390	+10
Aquitaine	150	$20⅞	20⅞	20⅞	
Argus B pr	100	$34	34	34	
Argus C pr	600	$15½	15½	15½	
Asamera	10802	$19⅛	18⅝	19⅛	+ ¼
Asbestos	706	$46½	46½	46½	+ ½
Asoc Porc	1639	128	120	128	+13
Atco A	1150	$17⅜	17¼	17⅜	+ ⅛
Atlas Yk	16000	45	40	45	+ 3
Ato Hard A	150	$20½	20½	20½	+ ½
BC Sugar A	744	$29½	29½	29½	— ¼
BP Can	3225	$20½	20¼	20½	+ ½
Banister C	6900	$9¼	9	9	— ⅛
Bank BC	325	38	38	38	
Bank Mtl	10705	$25⅜	25¼	25⅜	+ ⅛
Bank N S	1773	$23⅞	23⅝	23⅞	+ ¼
Bankeno	1320	208	207	208	— 2
B Cdn Nat	520	$16	16	16	
Barex	1000	6½	6½	6½	+ ½
Baton B	700	$14	14	14	+ 1
Bell Canad	5771	$65⅛	64¾	65	— ⅛
Bell Cpr	200	30	30	30	
Bell 2.28	1000	$32½	32½	32½	— ⅜
Bell 1.80	100	$23⅛	23⅛	23⅛	
Bell 1.96	735	$27⅝	27½	27⅝	
Beth Cop A	200	$15½	15½	15½	
Blakwod A	500	375	375	375	
Bombr	100	$10⅞	10⅝	10⅞	+ ⅜
Border C	250	310	310	310	
Bovis Cor	4000	64	61	61	— 3
Bow Valy	4760	$21⅜	21	21	— ¼
Bralor Res	540	$8¼	8⅛	8¼	+ ⅛
Bramalea	2282	314	13¼	14	+ ¾
Brameda	12630	182	181	181	
Brenda M	7350	$14	13⅞	14	+ ⅜
Brinco	758	$7⅝	7½	7½	— ¼
BCFP	29750	$19¼	18¼	19	+1⅛
BC Pack B	200	$70⅛	70⅛	70⅛	
BC Phone	1072	17	16⅞	17	+ ¼
BCPh 4¾ p	z15	$55¾	55¾	55¾	
BCPh 1956	z35	56	56	56	
BCPh 5½ p	z5	67	67	67	
BCPh 6.80	115	$21½	21½	21½	
BCP 2.32 p	z30	$32⅛	32⅛	32⅛	
Broul Reef	1500	34	34	34	+ 1
Brunswk	5850	$5½	5⅛	5½	+ ⅛
Budd Auto	600	$9⅝	9½	9½	
C					
CAE A	100	$19⅞	19⅞	19⅞	
Cad Frv	300	10	9¾	9¾	— ¼
Cad Frv A	105	10	10	10	
Cal Pow A	1590	$40½	40⅛	40¼	
Cal P 4 p	z50	$52¼	52¼	52¼	
Cal P 4½ p	z50	$59¼	59¼	59¼	
Cal P 9.75	10	$110	110	110	
Cal P 2.36	100	$28¼	28¼	28¼	
Cal P 8¾	50	$106⅛	106⅛	106⅛	— ⅜
Calvert	94000	55	45	55	+10
Camflo	1180	$13⅛	13	13⅛	
C Chib A	z6	460	460	460	
Camp RL	432	$35¾	35	35	— ¾
Can Cem A	546	$12⅞	12¼	12¼	— ¼
CDC pr B	140	$105	104¾	104¾	
Can Malt A	200	$32	32	32	— ½
C Nor West	1900	$10¼	10½	10⅝	— ⅛
C Pakrs C	2200	$21	20⅝	21	+ ⅜
Can Perm	1300	$17½	17⅜	17⅜	— ⅛
CS Pete	26200	$5⅛	495	5	— ⅛
Can Trust A	500	$23¾	23¾	23¾	+ ¼
Cdn Cel	2530	$8⅜	8⅛	8⅛	+ ⅛
C Formost	1000	$7½	7½	7½	
CGE	z45	$27¾	27¾	27¾	
CG Invest	700	$22	21⅞	22	+ ⅛
C Hidrogas	1500	415	410	410	+ 5
C Homestd	2700	$9⅝	9½	9½	— ⅛
Cl Bk Com	3861	$28⅞	28¾	28⅞	+ ⅛
CIL pr	z2	$43¼	43¼	43¼	
C Lencour	5000	11	11	11	+ 1
C Manoir A	15000	$6	6	6	+ ⅛
C Marconi	1000	$8⅜	8¼	8⅜	
C Merrill	2350	$20¾	20¾	20¾	— ¼
CNat R	5300	330	320	330	+10
C Ocdental	350	$18¾	18¾	18¾	
CP Inve	2250	$24⅞	24¾	24¾	— ¼
CP Ltd	68448	$25	24⅞	25	+ ⅜
C Reserve	1300	$15	14½	14½	— ½
Cdn Tire	100	$23¼	23¼	23¼	— ¼
Cdn Tire A	1631	$24¼	24⅛	24¼	— ⅛
C Utilties	1503	$16¼	16⅛	16¼	+ ¼
CU 10¼	500	$27¾	27¼	27¾	+ ½
C Util 9.24	100	527	27	27	
Canray	1850	187	185	185	+ 5
Canron A	350	$27⅞	27⅞	27⅞	+ ⅛
Cara	1700	58	7⅞	8	+ ⅛
Carl OK	6670	485	475	485	+ 5
Carl A p	180	$27¼	27¼	27¼	+ ⅛
Carma A	320	$10⅛	10	10	
Cassiar	1270	$9¾	9½	9¾	+ ½
Cassidy L	300	$5½	5½	5½	+ ⅜
Celanese	13100	375	370	370	— 5
Celan 175 p	240	$18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	
Cent Pat	300	143	143	143	+ 3
Charter Ol	325	215	215	215	— 5
Chib Kav	1000	10	10	10	+ 2
Chib M	500	31	31	31	
Chieftain p	280	$107	106	107	—1¾
Chrvsler	7051	$10⅝	10⅛	10⅜	
CHUM	1400	$11¾	11¼	11¾	+ ¾
CHUM B	100	12	12	12	
Coch Wilt	13100	53	52	52	— 1
Coin Lake	500	10	10	10	
Comb Met	3000	40	40	40	+ 1
Cominco	1375	$31½	31⅜	31½	+ ⅜
Cominco A	250	$27½	27½	27½	+ ⅜
C Holiday I	500	$7½	7½	7½	— ⅛
Coniagas	2000	65	64	64	— 1
Conuco Ltd	5300	$6⅛	6	6	— ⅛
Con Bath A	6180	$14¼	14	14¼	+ ⅜
Con Fardy	1564	295	285	295	+10
C Durham	25900	135	130	135	+ 7
C Marben	4500	45	45	45	
C Morrsn	3900	152	152	152	+ 2
C Rambler	1000	165	164	164	+ 4
Con Distrb	10350	$17⅜	17⅛	17⅜	+ ⅛
Cons Gas	3340	$18⅛	18¼	18¼	
Con Gas D	800	$24½	24½	24½	
Conwest	1400	$5¾	5½	5⅝	— ⅛
Cooper C	100	$7½	7½	7½	+ ⅜
Cop Fields	1500	400	400	400	
Corbv vt	100	$25¼	25¼	25¼	
Corbv B	217	$23¼	23¼	23¼	
Coseka R	5350	$5½	5⅛	5½	— ⅛
Costain Ltd	100	$11½	11½	11½	+ ½
Craigmt	1245	$5¾	5⅝	5⅝	
Crestbrk	1000	$10¼	10	10	— ¼
Crown B¾a	100	$20½	20½	20½	— 1
Crush Intl	755	$11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	
Cuvier M	1500	41½	41½	41½	—1½
Cyprus	3640	$10⅛	9⅞	10⅛	
Czar Res	5300	$7¼	7⅛	7⅛	— ⅛
D to G					
DRG Ltd A	400	$6⅛	6	6⅛	+ ½
Daon Dev	1570	$13⅞	13¾	13⅞	+ ⅛
Daon A	700	$7¾	7⅝	7¾	+ ⅛
D Eldona	9833	118	115	118	+ 5
Delhi Pac	2500	10	10	10	— 1
Denison	3938	374	73	73¼	+ ½
Dickns	4500	$6⅝	6½	6½	
Digitech	3300	225	220	220	— 5
Doman I	1300	$7⅛	7	7⅛	+ ⅛
Dome Mine	318	$92	92	92	+ 2
Dome Pete	12456	$97	95	95¾	—1⅝
D Bridge	200	$31	31	31	
DEXplor	4700	19	18	18½	—1½
Dofasco A	1054	$30⅞	30¼	30⅞	+ ⅛
Dom Store	125	$16⅞	16⅞	16⅞	+ ⅛
D Textile A	650	$11½	11½	11½	
Du Pont	100	$15⅜	15⅜	15⅜	— ⅜
Dylex L A	100	$13	13	13	— ½
Dynamar	5800	150	147	147	— 3
E-L Fin	1400	$13¼	13¼	13¼	
East Mal	3560	225	220	220	
East Sul A	1000	175	175	175	+ 4
Estn Prov	600	$6¾	6¾	6¾	
Ego Res	9400	$5¾	5¼	5⅝	+ ¼
Elhm A	100	410	410	410	+ 5
Emco	360	$8¼	8¼	8¼	+ ¼
Extndcar	160	$12¾	12¾	12¾	— ¼
Falcon C	1300	$6⅝	6½	6⅝	+ ⅛
Fibrg Nik A	315	$32¼	32	32¼	+ ¼
Fed Ind A	1425	56	5¾	6	+ ⅛
Fed Pion	800	$35	34½	35	+ 2
Finning T	200	$24¾	24¾	24¾	
Fireco SA	800	300	300	300	
F Cty Tr C	2400	$8⅛	8	8	
Foodex p	2000	$8¼	8⅛	8⅛	
Ford Cnda	z50	$71¾	71¾	71¾	
Francana	200	$10⅞	10⅞	10⅞	— ⅛
Fraser A	300	$13½	13½	13½	
G M'Res	175	380	380	380	+10
G Distrb w	3000	195	195	195	
GMC	480	565	65	65	
Genstar L	9731	$36¼	35½	36¾	+ ¼
Gnstar 1.50	240	$36	36	36	+ 1¼
Gibraltar	750	56	6	6	
Glendale	z600	62	60	60	
Goldund M	6000	54	54	54	— 2
Graff G	400	$36	35½	35½	
Granduc	5250	85	84	84	— 2
Gt Oil Sds	3500	$9¾	9¾	9¾	
GL Pap w	1650	$8¼	8⅛	8⅛	+ ⅛
GN Fin	2510	185	180	185	+20
GN Fin r	3500	12	10½	10½	+ ½
Greyhnd C	100	320	320	320	— 5
Greyhnd	100	$19½	19½	19½	
Guard Cap	600	$7	7	7	+ ½
Gulf Can	3122	$37¼	37	37	
Gulfstrm	28600	42½	42	42	— ½
H to L					
HCI Hldg	550	$9¾	9¾	9¾	— ¼
Hard Crp A	1800	290	290	290	
Harlequin	575	$14¾	14⅝	14¾	
Harris J A	100	$7⅛	7⅛	7⅛	— ⅛
Hatleigh A	825	$6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	— ¼
Hatleigh B	2300	$6⅛	6	6⅛	— ¼
Hawker A	1900	$8⅝	8½	8½	
Hayes D A	224	$10	10	10	+ ⅜
Highmont	41225	205	172	185	+15
Home A	3450	$46½	46⅛	46½	+ ¼
Hud Bay A	510	$19⅝	19½	19½	
HBay C	138535	$20½	20	20	— ⅜
HB Oil Gas	3875	$5⅛	5	5⅛	+ ¼
Husky Oil	14135	$47⅞	46⅝	47⅛	+ 1
Husky A pr	z25	$39¼	39¼	39¼	
Husky E w	4600	528	26¼	27⅛	+1⅛
Hydra Ex	1150	42½	42½	42½	+ ½
Hy's Ltd	800	375	350	375	+25
IAC	2500	$18⅛	18	18	
ITL Ind	100	360	360	360	
IU Intl	5900	$12⅞	12¼	12⅞	+ ⅛
Imasco A	810	$39⅝	39½	39½	— ⅜
Imasco S p	z20	$39⅛	39⅛	39⅛	
Imp Oil A	27062	$24⅞	24⅝	24¾	+ ⅛
INCO A	20055	$18⅛	18	18⅛	
Indal	400	$12¼	12⅛	12¼	+ ¼
Indusmin	390	$13⅝	13½	13⅝	+ ⅛
Inglis	800	512	11½	12	+ ⅞
Inland Gas	1013	$11	10⅞	11	
Inter-City	11600	$8⅛	7⅞	8	+ ⅛
IBM	274	$361	355	360	+ 4
Int Mogul	2021	$5¼	5⅛	5¼	— ⅛
Int Pipe A	5470	$16⅛	16	16⅛	+ ¼
Ipsco	607	$19¼	19	19¼	— ⅛
Irwin T A	1340	395	390	390	
Island Tel	400	$16	16	16	
ISO	1000	173	170	170	— 9
Ivaco A	600	$11⅛	11½	11⅛	+ ½
Jannock A	1700	$20¼	20¼	20¼	+ ¼
Jannock B	100	$20¼	20¼	20¼	+ ¼
Jannock B	z22	$13¾	13¾	13¾	
Jannock w	300	$11⅞	11⅞	11⅞	+ ⅜
Jorex Ltd	2000	33	31	33	+ 3
Joutel	36500	34	30½	32	— 2
Kaiser Re	2500	$16⅞	16⅝	16⅞	+ ½
Kam Kotia	7800	450	440	450	— 5
Kaps Tran	4550	133	129	130	— 2
Kelsey H	500	$20⅝	20⅝	20⅝	+ ⅛
Kerr A A	413	$11⅞	11½	11¾	+ ⅛
Kerr A B	200	$11½	11½	11½	
La Luz	2000	$8	8	8	
Labatt A	13173	$22⅞	20⅞	22½	+1½
Labatt A p	500	$21	21	21	+1⅜
Lacana	4400	$5¾	5⅝	5⅝	
Lacana w	1000	410	400	400	—20
Laidlaw A	900	$18⅜	18¼	18⅜	+ ¼
LOnt Cem	2225	55	5	5	
L Shore	8000	270	261	270	+ 9
Lakehead	z220	16	1-	16	
Lasitr Km	500	55	5¼	55	+ 2
Lau Fin	400	$9⅞	9⅞	9⅞	— ⅛
Lau Fn 6¼	100	$18½	18½	18½	
Leigh Inst	1900	$8⅛	7⅞	8	
Leons Frn	300	$13½	13½	13½	
Levy Apr	z50	$6¼	6¼	6¼	
Liberian	491	$7¼	7	7¼	+ ¼
LL Lac	4000	255	251	255	+ 2
Lob Co A	3000	475	455	475	+ 5
Lob Co B	6000	440	430	435	
Lob Co pr	z20	$27⅞	27⅞	27⅞	
Lochiel	2100	299	293	295	— 4
Loeb M	200	$8	8	8	
M to O					
MICC	.1175	$10	10	10	— ⅛
Micc 8 p	430	$24⅜	24⅜	24⅜	
Maclarn A	100	$46½	46½	46½	+ ½
Madeline	855	59	59	59	— 1
Madsen	1100	80	80	80	— 2
Magna A	13000	$15⅜	14¾	15⅜	+ ⅜
Magna B	700	$16½	15¾	16½	+1⅞
Magnason	500	265	265	265	— 5
Magnetcs	4000	150	150	150	— 1
Maislin I	500	375	375	375	
Maistc Wtl	1000	290	290	290	+ 5
Maplex M	z60	$7¾	7¾	7¾	
Mrtme El A	200	$15	15	15	
Martim A p	100	$9¾	9¾	9¾	+ ¼
Mass Fer	21790	$10⅞	10⅝	10¾	
Mas F A	1700	518	17¾	18	+ ¼
Mas F B	1350	518	17½	18	+ ½
Matchan	1500	19	19	19	+ 4
Matgmi A	1749	$15⅝	15¼	15½	
Mc Intyre	500	54	24	24	— ¼
McLaghlin	1500	$7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	+ ½
McLghl w	200	390	390	390	
Melcor	7625	$13¼	12¾	13⅛	+ ⅜
Mentor	2500	290	290	290	
Meccantil	1030	$14¼	14⅛	14¼	
Merland E	3500	$9⅝	9¼	9⅝	
Met Storsp	600	$16	16	16	+ ¼
Met Trust	10	$32½	32½	32½	
Minrl Res	3720	175	170	175	
Molson A	780	$24¼	24⅛	24¼	
Molson B	200	$22¼	22¼	22¼	
Monenco A	100	$13¼	13¼	13¼	— ¼
Moore	7481	$32⅞	32½	32¾	— ½
Mt Wright	1006	14	14	14	+ 1
Murphy	5620	$12⅜	12¼	12¼	
N B Cook	200	145	145	145	+ 5
NBU Mine	22400	149	141	149	+ 9
NKD Min	2000	58	58	58	
Nat Pete	3164	64	62	64	+ 2
Nat Sea A	920	$21	19⅞	21	+1⅜
Nemco	9600	266	260	266	+ 1
Neomar	2628	145	142	145	
NB Tel	101	$21½	21½	21½	+ ⅛
N Goldvue	6500	13	13	13	— 1
N Provid D	7000	36	34	36	— 1
N Que Ragl	500	155	155	155	+ 5
N York Oil	6150	297	285	286	—14
Nfld LP A	600	$18½	18¼	18¼	— ¼
Newnor	4000	7	6½	7	+ 1
Noranda A	28696	$36⅜	36⅛	36⅜	+ ⅛
Norbaska	19000	49	48	48	+ 1
Norcen	6710	$17⅞	17¾	17¾	— ⅛
Norcn 150	700	$27⅞	27¾	27¾	+ ¼
Norin Corp	500	$10	10	10

Trade boosts dollar

NEW YORK (AP) — The U.S. dollar gained against major currencies in most foreign exchange trading Thursday as better-than-expected U.S. trade figures brightened a gloomy outlook on Iranian oil exports.

However, in New York, the Canadian dollar edged up to 84.33 cents U.S. from 84.30.

Gold prices were mixed. In Zurich, gold closed at $220.875 an ounce, up from Wednesday's $220.625. In London, the price was $221.75, down from Wednesday's $222.55.

In Tokyo, where the business day ended before the announcement of improved U.S. trade figures, the dollar sank to 193.50 yen from Wednesday's 195.525.

However, the dollar rose against the yen in early trading today on the Tokyo exchange, opening at 193.80 and advancing to 194.10 in the first 30 minutes.

The U.S. trade deficit for November was $1.95 billion, down from $2.13 billion in October and $2.93 billion in November 1977. Brokers had speculated that the gap in November would reach $2.5 billion.

The pound declined in London to $2.0270 from $2.0365 on Wednesday.

Late dollar rates at other European centres: Frankfurt—1.8320 marks, up from Wednesday's 1.8270; Zurich—1.6285 Swiss francs, up from 1.6218; Paris—4.2025 French francs, up from 4.1750; Amsterdam—1.9810 guilders, up from 1.9735; Milan—833.50 lire, up from 832.75.

Options

Closing prices of all traded options. Sales unit is 100 shares. (Trans-Canada options combine Montreal and Toronto exchange option trading);

Options		Vol	Int	Last	Close
Abitibi	Fb 15	6	574	$4½	$19½
Abitibi	Fb 17½	31	814	$2¼	$19½
Abitibi	Fb 20	24	565	125	$19½
Abitibi	Mv 17½	5	249	$3½	$19½
Abitibi	Mv 20	24	784	185	$19½
Abitibi	Ag 20	5	23	$2½	$19½
Alcan	Fb 35	1	123	$5⅝	$40
Alcan	Fb 40	15	375	$2	$40
Alcan	Ag 40	5	57	$4½	$40
Asama	Ja 17½	29	824	$2½	$19½
Asama	Ja 20	3	1281	80	$19½
Asama	Ja 22½	38	1075	25	$19½
Asama	Ap 15	5	161	$5¼	$19½
Asama	Ap 17½	26	556	$3⅛	$19½
Asama	Ap 20	65	972	$2	$19½
Asama	Ap 22½	10	460	135	$19½
Asama	Ap 25	6	484	135	$19½
Asama	Jv 15	5	231	$6	$19½
Asama	Jv 17½	5	141	$4¼	$19½
Asama	Jv 20	14	266	$3¼	$19½
Bell Can	Fb 60	2	23	$5¼	$65
Bell Can	Fb 65	15	65	100	$65
Bell Can	Mv 60	2	23	$5⅛	$65
Bell Can	Mv 65	1	117	$2	$65
Bk Mtl	Fb 22	14	434	$3⅛	$25⅞
Bk Mtl	Fb 25	9	1667	110	$25⅞
Bk Mtl	Mv 22½	11	293	$3⅛	$25⅞
Bk Mtl	Mv 25	1	1334	185	$25⅞
CP Ltd	Fb 25	57	702	90	$25
CP Ltd	Mv 25	35	439	185	$25
CP Ltd	Ag 25	12	212	$2⅛	$25
Dom M	Ja 85	7	2	$7¼	$92
Dom M	Ja 90	2	4	$4	$92
Dom M	Ja 100	3	5	95	$92
D Pete	Ja 70	2	188	$25½	$95¼
D Pete	Ja 80	21	145	$16	$95¼
D Pete	Ja 90	44	168	$6	$95¼
D Pete	Ja 95	24	89	$4	$95¼
D Pete	Ja 100	46	143	$2½	$95¼
D Pete	Ja 110	14	106	125	$95¼
D Pete	Ap 85	6	33	$12¼	$95¼
D Pete	Ap 95	40	96	$10½	$95¼
D Pete	Ap 100	17	173	$8½	$95¼
D Pete	Ap 110	49	100	$4½	$95¼
D Pete	Jv 75	7	48	$11	$95¼
Gulf C	Mv 35	3	62	$3¼	$37
Ho OA	Ja 40	11	43	$6⅛	$46
Husky	Ja 40	2	82	$7	$47½
Husky	Ja 45	14	99	$3¼	$47½
Husky	Ja 50	101	208	100	$47½
Husky	Ja 55	2	5	30	$47½
Husky	Ap 45	9	196	$4⅛	$47½
Husky	Jv 45	5	32	$5¼	$47½
IOil A	Fb 20	17	543	$5	$24¼
IOil A	Fb 22½	6	860	$2¼	$24¼
IOil A	Fb 25	33	919	145	$24¼
IOil A	Mv 20	10	237	$5½	$24¼
IOil A	Mv 22½	13	524	$3¼	$24¼
IOil A	Mv 25	27	569	190	$24¼
Labat A	Ja 20	11	48	$2¼	$27⅞
Labat A	Ja 22½	45	146	90	$27⅞
Labat A	Ja 25	35	32	45	$27⅞
Labat A	Ap 20	21	22	$3	$27⅞
Labat A	Ap 22½	109	166	160	$27⅞
Labat A	Ap 25	5	24	60	$27⅞
Labat A	Jv 20	10	40	$2¼	$27⅞
Labat A	Jv 22½	15	15	165	$27⅞
Moore	Fb 30	13	28	140	$32¼
Moore	Fb 35	2	180	40	$32¼
Moore	Mv 40	1	72	50	$32¼
Mas F	Fb 10	1	45	125	$10¼
Mas F	Fb 12½	10	203	35	$10¼
Mas F	Mv 10	7	112	52	$10¼
Mas F	Mv 12½	4	292	110	$10¼
INCO A	Fb 17½	6	427	175	$18⅛
INCO A	Fb 22½	55	776	20	$18⅛
INCO A	Mv 17½	2	353	$2⅜	$18⅛
INCO A	Mv 20	14	571	155	$18⅛
INCO A	Mv 22½	7	302	80	$18⅛
INCO A	Ag 17½	7	315	$3¼	$18⅛
Norcn	Fb 15	3	1070	$3½	$17¼
Norcn	Fb 17½	23	5169	145	$17¼
Norcn	Fb 20	4	2366	35	$17¼
Norcn	Mv 15	3	492	$4	$17¼
Norcn	Mv 17½	5	1549	$2⅛	$17¼
Norcn	Mv 20	17	580	125	$17¼
Norcn	Ag 17½	15	493	$2¼	$17¼
Norcn	Ag 20	16	258	160	$17¼
Noran A	Fb 35	2	282	$2½	$36⅛
Nor Tel	Ja 40	12	150	5	$35¼
Nor Tel	Jv 35	3	9	$3½	$35¼
Pac P	Fb 45	6	263	$17¼	$61⅛
Pac P	Fb 60	10	259	$3¼	$61⅛
Pac P	Mv 60	10	110	$4¼	$61⅛
Rov Bk	Ap 35	5	318	$3½	$37½
Shell C	Fb 15	5	587	145	$16¼
Shell C	Mv 15	3	216	$2⅛	$16¼
Shell C	Mv 17½	20	76	75	$16¼
Shell C	Ag 17½	20	50	125	$16¼
Stico A	Fb 27½	12	531	115	$27⅞
Stico A	Fb 30	1	127	35	$27⅞
Stico A	Mv 25	2	126	$3½	$27⅞
Stico A	Mv 27½	6	226	$2	$27⅞
Stico A	Mv 30	13	165	85	$27⅞
Stico A	Ag 27½	3	36	$2¼	$27⅞
TrC PL	Ag 20	2	32	70	$17½
Segrm	Ja 27	10	23	$5½	$33

Total volume 5592.
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Dividends

Canadian Western Natural Gas L., four per cent pfd., 20 cents, 5½ per cent pfd., 28 cents; both payable March 1, record Feb. 8.

Commonwealth Holiday Inns of Canada, eight per cent pfd. A, 50 cents, Jan. 31, record Jan. 19.

Consolidated Natural Gas Co., 75 cents, U.S. funds, an increase of six cents, Feb. 15, record Jan. 15.

Foodex Inc., pfd. A, 21.375 cents, Jan. 15, record Dec. 29.

Harlequin Enterprises Ltd., 10 cents, semi-annual, Jan. 3, record Dec. 22.

Simpsons Sears Ltd., class A, nine cents, an increase of three cents March 31, record Feb. 15.

BAY BIGGIE BEAMING

He worked for Eaton's

TORONTO (CP) — Looking south from his 48th-floor apartment, Don McGiverin has an unobstructed view of rival Eaton's Ltd.

He was once part of that team.

Looking a block farther south he can see Simpsons Ltd.'s main store, and he beams with anticipation at that view.

Donald Scott McGiverin, president of Hudson's Bay Co., is in the process of consolidating Canada's most powerful department store empire—a takeover of Simpsons by the Bay.

Not one to be timid of broad horizons, McGiverin, 54, had engineered the Bay's takeover of Zeller's Ltd. earlier this year.

McGivern
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If Simpsons shareholders approve the Bay's offer, the combination of Simpsons and Hudson's Bay, including 57 per cent owned Zeller's and its Fields Stores subsidiary, would command a market share of about 34 per cent—about equal to that of Simpsons-Sears Ltd., in which the Bay would also be a major shareholder.

The Bay has reached its goal, having already been able to obtain 60% of the Simpsons shares.

The son of an industrial rubber products salesman, McGiverin was born in Calgary but moved to Ontario at an early age with his parents, both natives of what is now Cambridge, Ont.

After attending school in Toronto, McGiverin moved to Winnipeg where he launched his department store career selling shoes at Eaton's during summers and weekends while attending university.

He returned full-time to Eaton's after completing a master of business administration program at Ohio State University, taking a job in the company's general merchandising office in Toronto.

A succession of rapid promotions followed and, in 1961, he was named a director of Eaton's—the youngest person outside the Eaton family to have held such a post.

By 1966, he had been promoted to vice-president of western operations in Winnipeg and earned a reputation as the Eaton's "boy wonder," a label he now dismisses as "a lot of crap. It depends on who you talk to."

Three years later, he suddenly joined Hudson's Bay as chief executive officer in charge of retailing operations.

"I really had expected to work for Eaton's all my life," he said. But a number of business and personal circumstances changed his thinking.

"The Bay had come to me a year earlier (in 1968) and asked me to join them. It's always flattering when someone offers you something, but I turned them down the first time, as I had several other offers from the United States.

"Then things changed somewhat. My wife died in the fall of 1968 and I had an 11-year-old daughter to raise. In January of 1969, the doctors diagnosed a serious spinal condition and she found herself confined in a body cast for about four years.

"Mr. Eaton (John David)—who had been very generous to me—retired, and the company began reorganizing itself."

The reorganization called for him to move east again as vice-president for corporate development and he felt he was inadequately equipped for that job.

By that time he was receptive to a second offer from the Bay.

"They wanted me to run department stores and it seemed to me the right thing to do at the time."

Shortly before becoming Bay president in 1972, McGivern moved the company's merchandising and store planning staff to Toronto to establish a stronger presence in Ontario and Quebec.

His apartment, which he shares with his daughter and a live-in housekeeper, is near his office at Bloor and Yonge streets and he spends a lot of time at work.

"It's got so hectic this last year or two that I've just confined myself to business," he said.

"I don't have a lot of outside interests and, aside from the occasional round of golf, I do nothing physical whatsoever."

His daughter, now 21, is studying languages and economics at University of Toronto.

Brazil corners Brascan firm

TORONTO (UPI) — Brascan Ltd. Thursday accepted a "substantially below book value" offer from Brazil's state-owned power company for the Canadian firm's interest in the South American nation's only foreign-controlled utility.

The Toronto-based corporation announced acceptance of a $380 million (U.S.) offer from Eletrobras, the National Power Company of Brazil, for its 83% interest in Light-Servicos de Electricidade S.A.

Brascan's board of directors said the purchase would be finalized in 15 days. The Brazilian government utility will pay Brascan $210 million immediately and the remaining $170 million within 90 days after the deal is finalized.

"While the selling price is substantially below the book value of the Light share investment, the directors and management of Brascan consider the proposed sale to be in the best interests of Brascan and its shareholders," Brascan vice president W.R. Miller said in a prepared statement.

The book value of Light's assets reportedly totalled $2.2 billion at Dec. 31, 1977. However, only $209 million of this was registered with Brazilian authorities as foreign equity capital held by Brascan.

Light provides electricity to more than 20 million people in Rio de Janeiro and Sao Paulo. Described as Brazil's "last major foreign-controlled utility," it had a net income of $89.5 million for the first nine months of 1978.

Miller said that while the corporate deal has been under discussion for "some time" the offer "required early acceptance, leaving no time to submit the proposed sale to a meeting of shareholders for their consideration."

Proceeds of the sale of Brascan's interest in Light represent about $17.20 per ordinary share, the Brascan statement said.

"No decisions on reinvestment have yet been made," Miller said. "The offer contains no reinvestment requirements."

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VIA Rail shows promise

MONTREAL (CP) - VIA Rail Canada expects substantial increases in passenger traffic in 1979, J. Frank Roberts, chairman and president, said Thursday.

In a year-end report on the federal crown corporation that took over passenger transport from Canadian National and CP Rail earlier this year, Roberts noted that VIA Rail travel increased 12 per cent in 1978.

Some routes experienced growth rates as high as 30 per cent, he said, and tour and travel packages grew by 50 per cent.

In 1979, Roberts predicted, "trains will find their rightful place in an integrated Canadian transportation system."

Eaton-Bay successful in takeover

TORONTO (CP) — Eaton-Bay Financial Services Ltd. has made a successful bid to gain control of Commerce Capital Corp. Ltd. of Toronto, a major holding company in the trust and mortgage fields.

G. D. Wotherspoon, chairman of Eaton-Bay, said Thursday shareholders representing more than 50 per cent of the common shares of Commerce Capital have indicated their intention to accept an offer of $9 a share in cash.

A formal offer is expected to be mailed Jan. 10 with a deadline of Jan. 31 for acceptance or rejection of the bid.

Eaton-Bay is a financial holding company owned 60 per cent by Eaton's Ltd. and 30 per cent by Hudson's Bay Co. of Winnipeg.

Shape Premier's first step

The title *The Shape of Things to Come* could not be more appropriate. Premier Cablevision Ltd. of Vancouver Thursday announced that it has bought a minor interest in a Canadian feature movie production of that name as "a first step in learning about feature production in Canada — an area which will be a key factor when pay-TV when it is authorized."

Premier vice-president Gordon Keeble, in making the announcement, said that the total cost of the movie is $3.2 million and Premier's investment is $100,000. Prime investors in the project are CFI Investments, Ottawa, and Harry Alan Towers, London, England.

"Our involvement in *Shape* is a substantial initiation for us and we are much encouraged by the excellent international pre-sale which the film has already achieved," Keeble added.

The film is to be released this coming spring. It is a space epic based on the works of H.G. Wells and performing in it are Jack Palance, Carol Lynley, John Ireland and Barry Morse. Special effects are being done under the direction of Wally Gentleman, a Canadian who gained plaudits for effects in *2001: A Space Odyssey*.

Oil beefs Alberta surplus

EDMONTON (CP) — Dramatic new discoveries helped pump an additional $500 million into Alberta's coffers from bonuses on oil and gas rights sales during the 1977-78 fiscal year, Provincial Treasurer Merv Leitch said Thursday.

Figures contained in the public accounts for the year ended last March 31, released by Provincial Auditor Doug Rogers, showed the government's operating surplus was $754.5 million.

"You can't have a crystal ball that enables you to estimate what might come in by the way of bonus payments on leases and reservations and things of that nature," Leitch said.

The provincial treasurer told a news conference that apart from the difference caused by that increase, the financial results recorded in public accounts generally met government estimates.

During the fiscal year, the government earned $5.1 billion and spent $3.4 billion. The government deposited $948.5 million in the Alberta Heritage Savings Trust Fund.

The fund, set up in 1976 as an investment vehicle aimed at diversifying the province's economy, gets 30 per cent of the government's energy and natural resource revenue each year. It had an equity of $3.2 billion at the end of 1977-78.

The accounts show the provincial government had a consolidated surplus of $4.8 billion—$1.6 billion in its general revenue fund and $3.2 billion in the trust fund. The consolidated surplus was up $1.9 billion from 1976-77 when it stood at $2.9 billion.

Alberta

Complete tabulation of Thursday transactions. Quotations in cents unless marked $. Net change is from previous board-lot closing sale

Stock	Sales	High	Low	Close	Chge
Acroll	515	95	95	95	—15
Aquerius	2000	50	50	50	
Beshaw	10000	11	11	11	
Cairn	250	315	315	315	+5
Cal West	2500	25	25	25	
Can Obas	500	340	340	340	—10
Cavalier	144	485	485	485	
Clearport	200	360	360	360	
Cochrane	103	310	310	310	—10
Conventuf	5600	$8⅞	$8½	$8½	—¼
Elin Elon	5000	80	74	74	
Heloena	2500	130	130	130	
Howe Sound	500	45	45	45	
Kelvin	7900	500	470	470	+15
Matrix	2500	60	55	60	+10
Miss	1100	220	205	220	+10
Multiple	2240	16	16	16	+1
Nesbit	600	100	100	100	+5
New Domin	300	425	425	425	+25
New 44	800	475	475	475	—25
New Gatewy	1400	185	185	185	
Newpass	500	165	165	165	
Nimrod	2000	88	88	88	—1
Northland	100	$11¼	11¼	11¼	+¼
Northrim	5700	40	40	40	
Oilex	100	275	275	275	
Omega	3100	280	275	275	—5
Orbit	500	$5½	5½	5½	
Penstar	7550	60	55	55	—5
Ranchmens	1145	290	280	280	
Rio Alto	2300	235	225	235	+20
Sastex	1000	28	28	28	—2
Seagull	4300	$6⅞	6⅝	6¾	+⅛
Sparrow	6000	100	99	100	
Troy	3500	355	330	350	—20
Turbo wts	600	370	365	370	+10
TwinRichfld	1000	45	45	45	+5
Universal X	2200	295	195	295	

Total sales: 88,747.

Earnings

Dominion Citrus and Drugs Ltd., nine months ended Oct. 31: 1978, $890,197, $1.07 a share; 1977, $799,087, 98 cents.

Syncrude delayed

FORT MCMURRAY (CP) — Operations personnel of Syncrude Canada Ltd. estimated Thursday that a faulty fluid coker at the $2.2-billion oil sands plant will be returned to service in two to three months.

A company spokesman, reporting this estimate, said it is too early to speculate on what is causing the production problem.

Line-plugging problems have extended the shutdown of one of Syncrude's two fluid cokers.

Dividends

Domtar Inc., 45 cents, an increase of 20 cents, May 1, record April 2.

Penninton's Stores Ltd., The dividend information released Wednesday should not have read a decrease after the effect of the capital reorganization of eight new common and one preference share for each four common held, it should have read an increase of five cents.

Trans Canada Glass Ltd., eight cents, Jan. 15, record Dec. 29.

Travelways Ltd., five cents, Dec. 29, record Dec. 21.

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CP RAIL Appointment

V. Jones

Appointment of Victor Jones as manager, coastal marine operations, CP Rail, is announced by B. D. Margetts, general manager. Mr. Jones will be responsible for the operation and marketing functions of the group's marine services which include passenger, auto and truck ferries to Vancouver Island, the Northland Service to Kitimat and Prince Rupert, and the Alaska cruise vessel "Princess Patricia". He will be located in Vancouver.

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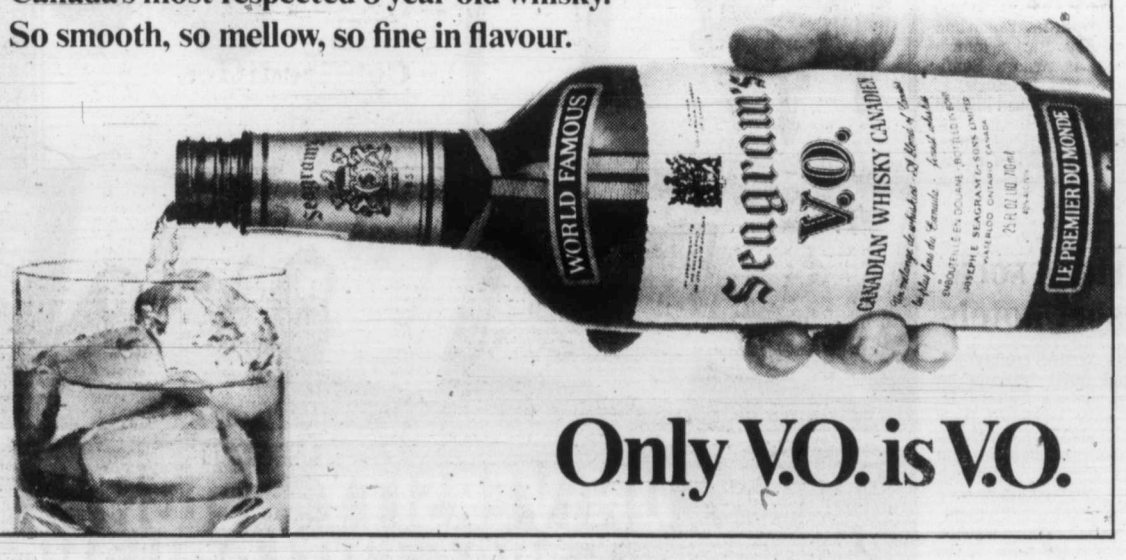

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Sorry, wrong grooms —but marriages final

JIDDA, Saudi Arabia (AP) — A Saudi father proudly gave away his two veiled daughters at a Moslem double wedding only to discover that, through a slip of the tongue, they had wound up with the wrong grooms.

The Saudi daily *Al Bilad*, which reported the nuptial mixup, said the father had confused the names of the brides and grooms in announcing his approval of the marriages to a Moslem marriage registrar.

Since vows were exchanged in the confusion, the marriages were formalized.

The embarrassed father, the report said, hushed up his mistake and promised his daughters, who had not appeared unveiled before their suitors, that he soon would straighten things out privately.

The only recourse would have been a double divorce and a new wedding ceremony.

But divorce proved unnecessary, the newspaper said, since the daughters informed their father several days later that they were quite satisfied with their unintended mates.

Gacy tied down as toll hits 21

DES PLAINES, Ill. (AP) — John Wayne Gacy, suspected of killing 32 young men, was under guard and in leather restraints in a hospital bed late Thursday as six more skeletons were recovered from his home.

The bodies pulled from the crawl space under Gacy's house—including two that were discovered but not removed Wednesday—bring to 21 the number found on the grounds of his modest home in this Chicago suburb.

Gacy, a convicted sex offender, was reported to have told investigators he had sexual relations with 32 young men, then strangled them, buried 27 and threw five into the Des Plaines River.

One body has been pulled from the river.

Dr. Robert Stein, Cook County medical examiner, announcing the discovery of more bodies Thursday, said: "We are literally working in a grave down there."

Philip Hardiman, executive director of the Cook County Corrections Department, denied a published report that Gacy attempted suicide Saturday at the county jail's Cermak Hospital, where Gacy is being held until a scheduled court appearance today.

The Chicago *Sun-Times* reported that Gacy crawled under his bed and wrapped a towel around his throat in an attempt at self-strangulation. He did not suffer any apparent injury, the newspaper said.

The *Sun-Times* reported that since the suicide attempt Gacy has been kept in restraints and strapped to his bed, released only for exercise.

Hardiman labelled the suicide report "a lot of baloney."

"He fell off the bed. He fell 18 inches on the floor. We don't even classify it as a suicide attempt," Hardiman said. "Even if it was, he had nothing to connect it (the towel) to. You can't hang yourself if you don't have anything to tie it to."

Hardiman said that at the time Gacy was found on the floor, one wrist was handcuffed to his bed.

He refused to detail security measures or to say why they were being taken. But he said, "We're just taking the necessary precautions . . . to prevent him from hurting anybody or hurting himself."

Searchers followed a map provided by Gacy to unearth the bodies in a crawl space in his home and so far the diagram has been accurate.

"We have no doubt that we will find 27 bodies buried in places he has shown," said one investigator who asked that his name not be used.

Murder suspect papers due today

PORT ANGELES, Wash. (AP) — Extradition papers could be in the mail today for a Paicoma, Calif., man charged with murder in Victoria, Port Angeles and Paicoma, the Clallam County prosecuting attorney's office said Thursday.

Prosecutor Craig Ritchie said developments should be "breaking quickly" in the case against Tommy Ross Jr., 20.

Authorities are investigating the possibility that Ross might be linked to 10 other West Coast slayings.

"I can't discuss the other cases at this time," said Port Angeles Detective Robert Vail. "We have only suspicion, and speculation could hurt our investigations."

Ross was arrested Friday in North Hollywood and charged with the murder of a Paicoma woman.

He is also charged in warrants with the slayings of Janice Forbes, 26, of Victoria last May andJanet Dale Bowcutt, 20, of Port Angeles last April.

Vail said both of those victims were apparently strangled while tied to their beds.

Ritchie speculated that Ross would be transferred to Port Angeles from California within the next 30 days.

He said Los Angeles County would waive its pressing of charges against Ross in favor of prosecution on his Port Angeles charge of aggravated first-degree murder in the death of Bowcutt.

2 blasts aimed at Cubans

NEW YORK (AP) — Explosions rocked the Cuban UN Mission today and a Lincoln Centre theatre where a group of Cuban musicians had performed Thursday evening, police said.

A man phoned Associated Press shortly after the second explosion to claim responsibility for both blasts on behalf of an anti-Castro group called Omega Seven.

The first blast hit the Cuban mission on East 67th Street just after midnight, police said. Five minutes later a loud explosion shattered floor-to-ceiling glass walls at Avery Fisher Hall in the Lincoln Centre at Broadway and 65th Street.

No injuries were reported in either explosion. The musical performance had ended before the Lincoln Centre blast.

The caller said another bomb would be set at Avery Fisher Hall tonight, the second and final night of the appearance by a group named Orquesta Aragon and singer Elena Burke, known in Cuba as Senora Sentimiento or Mrs. Feelings.

Omega Seven has claimed responsibility in the past for bombings in several states as part of an effort to remove Fidel Castro from power in Cuba.

Strikes sock resort hotels

LAS PALMAS (Reuter) — Striking hotel workers on two of Spain's Canary Islands have stretched their strike to six days, depriving vacationers of hot meals and room service, although union leaders said they were hopeful about a settlement. Tour operators have warned they would fly some 70,000 tourists to mainland Spain and North Africa if the strike does not end by Sunday.

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Not everyone can make a plus out of a minus

Winter continues to hold Greater Victoria in an icy grip and there's no relief in sight for the next few days at least. At left, bundled-up Oak Bay resident Mrs. Joseph Hewitt endures freezing cold Thursday morning while waiting for bus. But sub-normal temperatures didn't discourage Esquimalt boys (from left) goalie Shawn Hobday, 13, John Fifield, 12, and Jeff Gilmour, 13, from trying out Christmas-gift hockey gear. Official low temperature Thursday was —5 Celsius; forecast low for today is —10. There's a possibility of skies clouding over Sunday and a chance of snow and milder temperatures on Monday.

Saanich teachers

Pay hike may cost 10 jobs

By DON COLLINS
Colonist reporter

Saanich school teachers will pay the price of higher wages with the loss of possibly as many as 10 jobs, Saanich School Board chairman Rubymay Parrott said Thursday night.

"The board is going to be taking a hard look at class size—there are going to be fewer teachers in Saanich next year," Mrs. Parrott said following an arbitration award that boosts the teachers' salaries for 1978 by $250 and sets 6.5 per cent of the total amount as the 1979 increase.

THE THREAT OF job loss has come from other areas involved in a series of similar teachers' arbitration awards this year. Last week the Greater Victoria School Board said it might have to consider teaching staff reductions to cope with the rising tax burden.

Mrs. Parrott said Thursday's award will have a 7.58 per cent impact on the Saanich district's payroll, will actually increase the teachers' salary scale by 8.1 per cent, and add $267,568 to the provisional 1979 budget of some $13 million at a time when the board is trying to hold the budget increase to six per cent.

With the average annual salary of teachers due to increase to $22,300 from $20,788, Mrs. Parrott said it would require a 10-job cut to eliminate excessive costs.

BUT THE TEACHERS think the board is taking the wrong view.

"If you're looking strictly at numbers of teachers you're not looking at quality of education," said Denis Turgeon, president of the Saanich Teachers Federation.

If the board wants to maintain this quality standard it set for the district it would then have to stick to the ratio of one teacher for every 20 students, Turgeon said.

While Mrs. Parrott says the area covered by the Saanich school district has had slow growth, Turgeon says the population has grown at a rate that requires at least the number of teachers now employed.

A particularly sore point with the Saanich board is the manner in which some arbitration awards are announced when trustees in other areas are still in the midst of delicate arbitration hearings.

"The Public Schools Act says all awards must be announced by the end of the year. But when one jumps the gun it does sort of jeopardize the rest of the province," Mrs. Parrott said in reference to the announcement earlier this month of the Vancouver award. This was followed a few days later with a disclosure of what was in the Greater Victoria award.

THE BOARD HAS written a letter of complaint to Education Minister Pat McGeer. Mrs. Parrott said the concern with the present system is that it doesn't take local factors into consideration. The teachers disagree with the need to delay announcement of awards.

"If there was bargaining in good faith there wouldn't be any need for arbitration hearings, but we always seem to end up in arbitration," Turgeon said.

He said the Saanich award wasn't partiuclarly favorable to the teachers, whom he said had lost ground to the rising cost of living in the past.

"We're a little closer this year to what it should be, but not exactly."

Land prices, traffic forcing out industry

By BILL SMITH
Colonist reporter

One of Victoria's oldest established industries is considering leaving the city for lack of attractively-priced industrial land in Greater Victoria to enable relocation and expansion.

Barry Challenger, general manager of Hafer Machine Co. Ltd., 1720 Store Street, said in an interview it was "extremely doubtful" the company would remain here.

The problem of finding suitably-priced land in the area for an expanded new plant was a major concern, he said. "But we are also being plagued by the city's traffic people."

The plant, which provides 30 permanent jobs, is adjacent to the city's garbage wharf, and Challenger said there have been numerous occasions when company trucks and equipment had to be parked on the street because of insufficient space on the firm's parking lot.

"I'm fully aware our parking facilities are not adequate," he said, "but we are being continually hassled by city officials over parking infractions.

"It has reached the point where I will go to jail rather than pay another fine."

City officials had refused to give the company a break, he said, even though the problem was compounded by the heavy traffic using the city's garbage facility.

Challenger said he did not think the company should be penalized for not being able to park some of its vehicles on the lot.

The firm, he said, had been trying to find a suitable location in the Victoria area for a new plant for the last 10 months, and had pinned its hopes on the industrial referendum in Saanich being successful.

For the firm to be able to expand its plant it would be necessary to leave the city because of the high cost of land, he said.

Saanich Mayor Mel Couvelier, head of the Capital Region District's economic development committee, expressed "grave concern" over the possible loss of another local industry.

The closure earlier this year of McDonald's Bakery caused the loss of 62 Victoria jobs, the loss of the Bapco paint plant saw about a dozen employees out of jobs and several jobs were lost with the move of the Quadra Street winery.

Couvelier said Hafer was one of the firms interested in locating at either the proposed Royal Oak or Interurban industrial zones.

"It's only logical such industry will look elsewhere on the Island for industrial land because they just won't pay the prices being asked locally.

"We need industrialists to speak out and broaden the community's knowledge of the very serious nature of the problem we face," he said.

Couvelier said he had known for some time the machine company was investigating industrial sites up-Island with an eye to relocation.

Victoria Mayor Michael Young, commenting on Challenger's complaints about traffic problems, said he received a letter some weeks ago about the problem and it had been turned over to the traffic committee.

"If what he says is true, then maybe he has a legitimate complaint."

Young admitted that parking in the plant area "could be a problem," but said he was in no position arbitrarily to change the law.

The circumstances raised by the company would be investigated, he promised.

Traffic committee chairman Ald. William McElroy told the *Colonist* he had no knowledge of a letter being referred to his committee, but promised he would investigate the points raised by Challenger.

"But I very much doubt he is being harassed as he claims."

He also admitted there is a serious traffic problem in the area of the wharf and the machine plant.

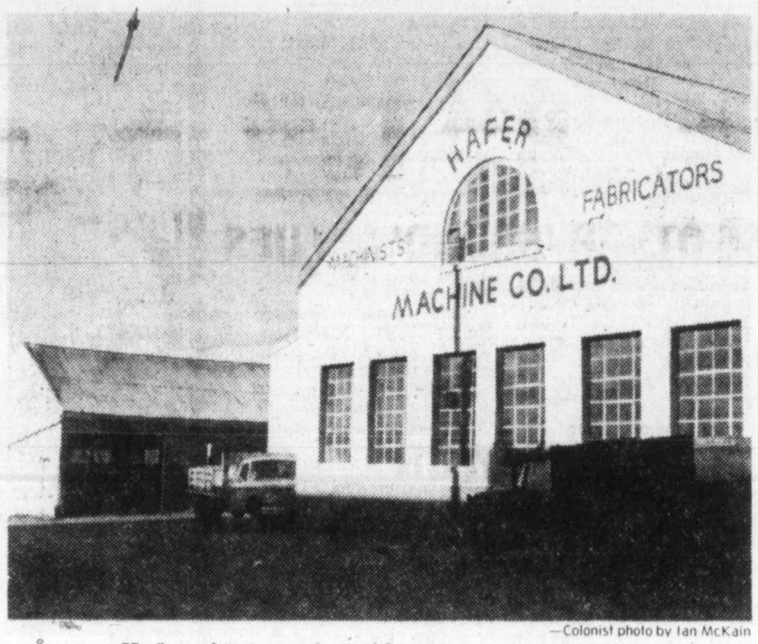
Greater Victoria Economic Development Commisoner Barry Mayhew said high land costs were a major deterrent to expansion of existing industry and to attracting new industry.

He said he had held several meetings with the company in an effort to resolve the parking problem and had spent hours in what had proved to be an unsuccessful attempt to find industrial land in the $2 a square foot range.

The parking problems seemed insoluable, he said, and much the same could be said of the search for reasonably-priced land.

Mayhew said something would have to be done soon about the high cost of land if new industry was to be attracted here.

He said he would continue his efforts to find a suitable location for the company in order to keep them in the area.



—Colonist photo by Ian McKain

Hafer plant now provides 30 permanent jobs

Company involved in Indonesia mills

Hafer Machine Co. Ltd., in business in Victoria since 1908, is among a consortium of Canadian companies involved in an industrial development project in Indonesia.

By a twist of fate, this announcement was made at the same time the company announced it would be forced to leave the city in order to expand because of the high cost of industrial land here.

Company general manager Barry Challenger said the company would be involved in building sawmills and selling forestry equipment. He anticipated the new venture would be in operation in four months.

The forest industry in Indonesia was on the verge of becoming a major trading product, similar to the boom times of the forest industry in B.C. in the 1940s, he said.

None of the 30 employees at the Store Street plant would be going to Indonesia, Challenger said.

"I hold out great expectations this will be a most worthwhile project," he said. "We are tremendously happy to be associated with such an industrial development scheme."

15-YEAR-OLD DIES IN MALAHAT CRASH

A 15-year-old Ladysmith boy, alone in a stolen pickup truck, was killed Thursday during a high-speed police chase on the Malahat.

Kerry Bytner was killed instantly after the vehicle failed to negotiate a curve near Hall's Boathouse and crashed into a rock face on the west side of the highway.

A police spokesman said a Colwood RCMP officer was unable to stop the vehicle and pursued it at high speed for a short distance before the crash.

The vehicle, demolished in the accident, had been reported stolen two hours earlier.

Library move still facing two hurdles

Two things could still kill plans for a new central library to be located in the provincial government building on Broughton.

Oak Bay's refusal to ratify the proposal is one; failure by Provincial Secretary Hugh Curtis to come up with a promised $400,000 grant is the other.

Victoria city council approved the scheme Thursday night, but made its endorsement contingent on a $400,000 library grant promised by Deregulation Minister Sam Bawlf when he was still in charge of libraries.

Saanich and Esquimalt councils approved the proposal some time ago.

Oak Bay has officially until Dec. 31 to ratify the proposal, but the B.C. Building Corporation, the crown agency which owns the building, has verbally extended that deadline to Jan. 15.

If Oak Bay also approves the proposal, and if the grant is forthcoming, the central library is expected to be relocated from it present cramped quarters at Yates and Blanshard by next summer.

The library is to occupy 50,000 square-feet of space on the main floor and second floor of the new building at an annual rent of $412,500.

But the four core municipalities which own the library system have the option to purchase the space under a strata-title clause during the 15-year lease agreement.

Initially, the purchase price would be about $6 million, but that figure will be depreciated by 25 per cent after 10 yearas.

Ald. Murray Glazier, the city's representative on the Greater Victoria Library Board, pointed out that the difference between leasing and servicing a mortgage for $6 million was too great to make the purchase attractive right now.

Ald. William McElroy actually provided the figures to back up Glazier's claim.

McElroy said servicing a $6 million mortgage at current interest rates would cost about $720,000 a year, compared with $412,500 for leasing the space.

It's bunkum, says McElroy

Victoria Ald. William McElroy wants to know where it will all end.

Will city council be asked next to endorse the Regina Manifesto?

He suspects that the same "old Liberals" who are pushing the Petition for Canadian Unity, now being circulated among municipalities, Royal Canadian Legion branches and chambers of commerce, wouldn't hesitate to ask for endorsement of the aforementioned manifesto.

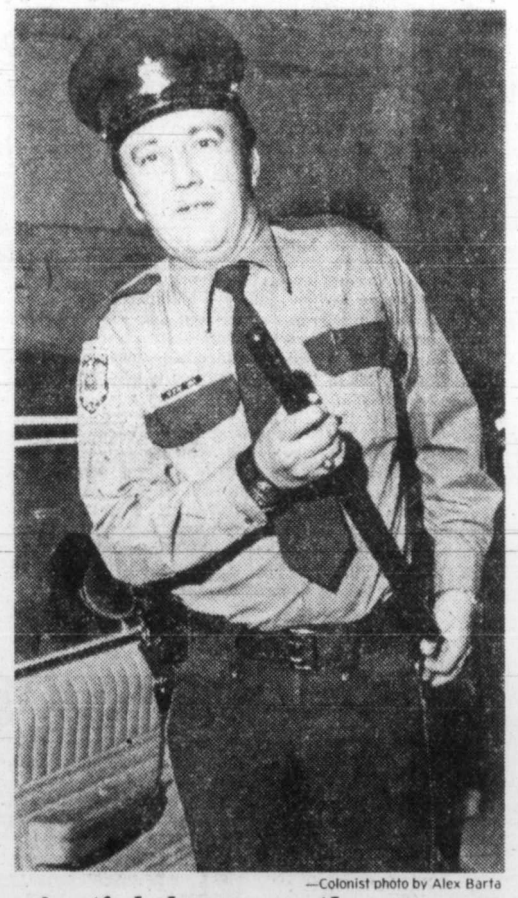
To make his point, McElroy voted against a motion Thursday night that city council endorse the petition.

"I'm really opposed to this kind of federal political thing," he said.

When Mayor Michael Young suggested that the petition hadn't originated with politicians, McElroy replied: "No, but with old Liberals."

That brought Ald. Murray Glazier into the act. Tongue firmly stuck in his cheek, he accused McElroy of being against Canadian unity, but McElroy had the last word before council endorsed the petition.

"I would like to quote T.C. Haliburton, the 18th Century Nova Scotian writer who once said: 'It's all bunkum.'"



—Colonist photo by Alex Barta

A stick by any other name

Soon to be walking softly with big stick —for defensive purposes—are members of Victoria city police force. The 26-inch long, two-inch-thick sticks, as modelled by Constable Ivan Sikich, will be part of patrol equipment "sometime in the summer" after officers are instructed in how to use them. Chief Jack Gregory would have the sticks referred to as batons. Critics would probably prefer the word nightclub. Anyway you look at them, truncheons are back.

curling

jim tang

CURLING ETIQUETTE hasn't been getting the attention it deserves. Part of the reason some is needed is because there are many new curlers and many of them either haven't bothered to find out about it or haven't been instructed, but it also happens often that more experienced rock-throwers aren't setting an example. In any event, it has been suggested that attention be drawn to some behaviour basics. They are offered in no particular order but here are a few that particularly need some notice:

— Be ready to play when your turn comes. If every curler takes even 10 seconds longer than needed to play a rock it adds about 25 minutes to the length of each game;

— Do not cross the sheet after an opposing player has settled into the hack, and make certain that when his skip's broom is placed in the outer ring that you are not bothering him by being too close to the intended path of the rock;

— Leads and seconds are to remain between hog lines except when delivering or sweeping a rock, and they can sweep only as far as the tee line;

— Skips and vice-skips watching from behind the tee line when opponent is delivering a rock should keep brooms horizontal or out of sight and make no movement after opponent is in the hack;

— An opponent's rock can be swept only by skip or vice-skip unless there is an agreed-upon change, and NOT until it has crossed the tee line. "Warming up" the ice as the rock nears the tee line looks worse than the violation it is;

— When you aren't delivering or sweeping a rock, keep your attention on your own game. Not only is it possible to learn something from watching opponents' rocks but lack of interest in your own proceedings isn't good for rink morale;

— Never say "Thank you" or words to that effect to an opponent, particularly a skip, who has just missed a crucial shot. It is bad manners of the worst sort, a condescending, boorish flippancy which isn't likely to be accepted as humor.

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STRATHCONA CUP competition isn't going to be quite the same without Colin Campbell, who died Monday only a week before he was due to leave for Scotland as the non-playing captain of the 35 Canadian curlers who will take part in the 1979 renewal of a trophy competition which began in 1909.

A past president of the Canadian Curling Association and the only president the International Curling Federation has had since being formed in 1967, Campbell was a long-time Brier trustee who was known to practically every Brier curler and reporter. But as much as the Canadian men's championship meant to him, it may have been true that he he enjoyed even more the competition for the Strathcona Cup.

Up until now, it had been played for every five years with Canada and Scotland alternating as the host country. The Scots toured Canada in 1975 and the next competition was due in 1980, but the reason for moving it up a year is probably to celebrate its 70th anniversary.

The Canadian team, which includes Elmer and Curtis Hoffman of Victoria and Blake Barker and John McLean of Vancouver, is scheduled to leave Toronto on New Year's Day and to return on Jan. 27. There are visits to Perth, Edinburgh, Kinross, Aviemore, Inverness, Aberdeen, Dundee, Ayr, Glasgow, Kelso, Kirkcaldy, Lockerbie, Stranraer, Irvine and Hamilton. But while only 24 of the visitors will see action at each stop, it is a safe assumption that Scottish hospitality will make 10 extra curlers not nearly enough.

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LESS THAN A WEEK remains before the Jan. 5 deadline for area Consols entries but while upwards of 20 rinks are expected, as of Thursday afternoon only Gary Leibel (Bud Taylor, Dave Smith, Arnie Sundstrom), Steve Skillings (Murray Walker, Rob Cummings, Kim Browning), Pete Jonsson (Bill Abbott, Dave Langridge, Cliff Newman), Jim Fennell (Jack McBeath, Ken Wardell, Dave Skipsey) and Dick Austin (Dave Hay, Ray Burley, Gerry Lister) had made entry.

It is different in the north Island zone, where clubs are allowed one rink in the double-knockout final for every two sheets of ice. Preliminary club playdowns will be needed in Nanaimo, where Terry West, Archie McIntosh, Charlie Chapin, Gary McDevitt and Jack Taylor have already decided to try for the four available spots, and in Duncan, where there is a major change in that veterans Glen Harper and Vern Kaspick will be rivals. Harper, trying for a third trip to the Brier, will call shots for Gwynn Hughes, Bert Oud and son-in-law Jim Barrett while Kaspick, also after a third Purple Heart but his first as a skip, will challenge with Howie Valleau, Doug Belton and Hugh Williams. Also trying for the three Duncan spots in the north Island finale are rinks skipped by Gary Wright, Denis Heppelle and Steve Williams.

Entered from other clubs are Ralph Boyd and George Ziolkowski of Campbell River, Fred Duncan, Joe Cyr and Ivan Carlisle of Port Alberni, Marvin Clarke of Port Alice and Len Luoma of Holberg.

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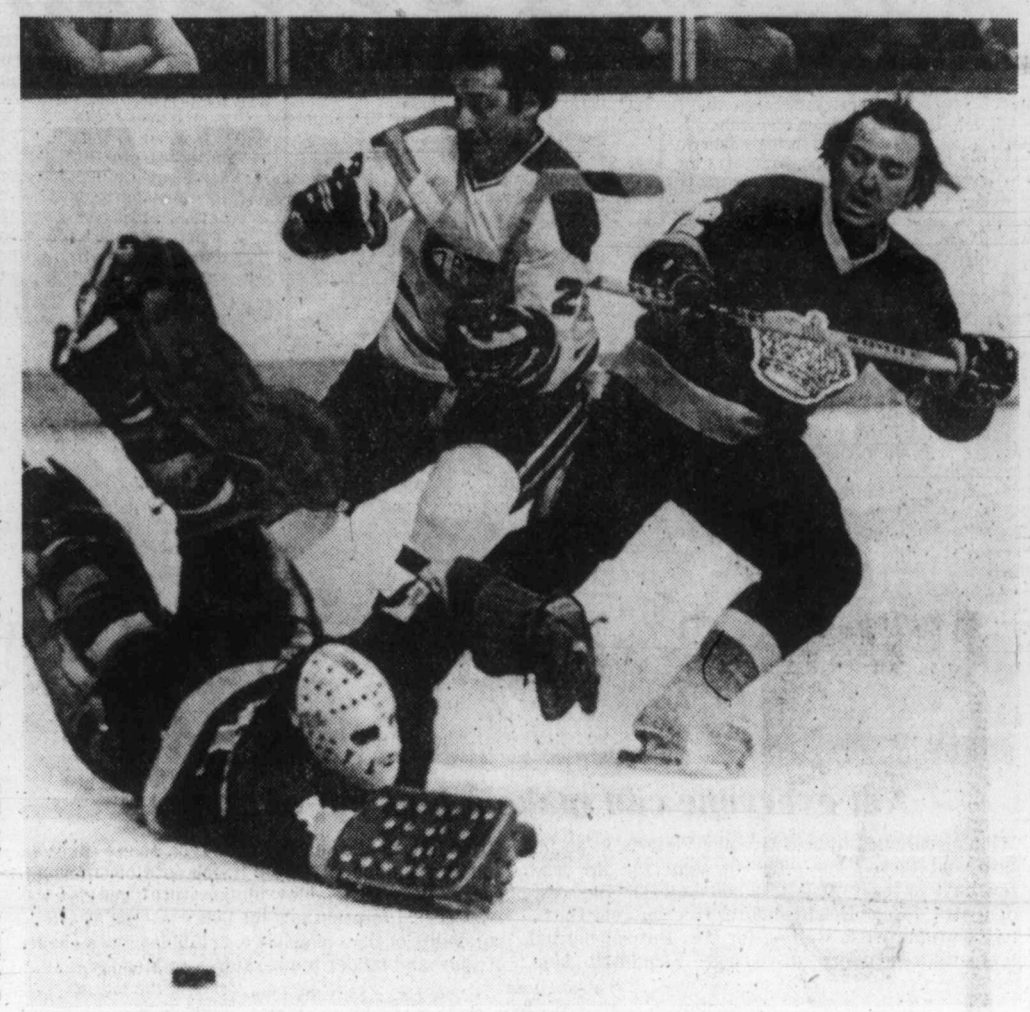
GLEN PIERCE, already in the Pacific Coast Curling Association Consols final because of winning the Totem bonspiel, added to his laurels by winning the first half in the Vancouver Super League. Pierce, who has former-Consols skip Wayne Matthewson as vice-skip and Fuji Miki and Bruce Davey, who played for Gerry Martin last season, on the front end, has obviously put together a potent combination and this could be the season he finally gets that Purple Heart.

Second place in the Vancouver Super League was won by B.C.-champion Bernie Sparkes, who has a knee problem but is planning on defending his title. Sparkes, who has his championship rink of Ron Thompson, Al Cook and Keavin Bauer intact with Bauer getting transferred back to Vancouver about a month ago, defeated Martin in a playoff. Glen Hillson, who did so well in that $60,000 Edmonton cashspiel, and Al Moore finished on the bottom of the 10-team league and were replaced for the second half.

Trottier maintains sizzling pace

Canucks nab tie



DIVING FOR PUCK, goalkeeper Mario Lessard of Los Angeles sprawls on ice Thursday as Kings' defenceman Randy Manery ties up Bob Gainey of Montreal Canadiens during National Hockey League action in Montreal. Canadiens rallied for 3-3 tie with Norris Division rivals.

If New York Islanders are, as goalkeeper Glenn Resch claims, now the best team in the National Hockey League it's mainly because they have the matcher to Guy Lafleur in Bryan Trottier.

The 22-year-old all-star centre, who trailed scoring-champion Lafleur by nine points (132-123) last season, is on the hottest streak of his four-season NHL career and after his Thursday night binge, is even with Lafleur with two games in hand.

Trottier, who has had at least one point in 15 consecutive games, made it 17 points for his last eight games by scoring his 26th goal and drawing four assists in a 10-4 Atlanta rout of the Flames.

Meanwhile, Lafleur barely avoided being passed, getting his 59th point with his 24th goal as Montreal Canadiens came from 0-3 to gain a 3-3 tie with Los Angeles Kings.

In other Thursday games, Vancouver Canucks lost 2-0 and 3-2 leads but turned in a fine effort to go 3-3 on home ice with Buffalo Sabres and Philadelphia Flyers outlasted New York Rangers 6-5.

Trottier set up the 2-0 first period for Islanders with a goal and an assist, and with the Flames proving stubborn in the second period as they rallied to 2-2 and then 3-4, Trottier set up Mike Bossy for his second and third goals of the period. The Islanders were 9-3 before the Flames got their last goal.

Bossy's three goals gave him 28 for the season and the league lead, two ahead of Trottier.

Canadiens, who lost leftwinger Steve Shutt Wednesday with a hairline fracture of a wrist, had trouble in extending their unbeaten streak to 14 games. Los Angeles penalty-killers held them to a single shot on each of two power-play chances early in the second period, and it wasn't until the game was in its 31st minute that Bob Gainey got a puck past Mario Lessard. Lafleur got the score to 2-3 less than three minutes later and Mario Tremblay was responsible for the 3-3 goal, which came at 6:45 of the third period.

In Vancouver, where 16,413 fans helped inspire them, the Canucks survived a five-minute Buffalo power-play in a scoreless first period, then struck in the second period for power-play goals 73 seconds apart. Ron Sedlbauer opened the scoring with his 24th goal and Don Lever's 10th scoring shot of the season doubled the margin.

Then the Canucks helped turn things the other way, defenceman Randy Holt taking a bad penalty and the Sabres cashing in on the power-play chance through Danny Gare.

Gare, the Buffalo captain and team leader, also figured on the other two Buffalo goals.

He was injured early in the third period when struck by Jere Gillis' stick, and while the Sabres didn't click on the resulting power-play, they gained the momentum which enabled Ric Seiling to pot the 2-2 goal 14 seconds after Gillis left the penalty box. Thomas Gradin put Canucks ahead again, but Gare came out of the dressing room to get the tie for his club.

In Philadelphia, Rangers scored the first goal, came from behind three times to tie and lost because they managed only two goals on 17 third-period shots. Bobby Clarke and the resurgent Reg Leach both scored twice for the Flyers but it was muscleman Paul Holmgren who broke the 5-5 tie. He did it with less than four minutes remaining by circling the net before stuffing the puck backhanded between Doug Soetaert's legs

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Norris Division

	G	W	L	T	F	A	P
Montreal	36	25	6	5	149	89	55
Pittsburgh	35	13	15	7	125	124	33
Los Angeles	34	13	15	6	127	117	32
Detroit	37	8	18	11	112	132	27
Washington	36	8	22	6	105	166	22
Adams Division							
Boston	35	23	5	7	151	106	53
Buffalo	36	15	12	9	120	111	39
Toronto	38	17	16	5	126	119	39
Minnesota	34	14	17	3	110	117	31
Patrick Division							
NY Islanders	34	23	4	7	169	95	53
Philadelphia	37	19	12	6	125	107	44
NY Rangers	35	19	12	4	141	114	42
Atlanta	37	19	15	3	150	133	41
Smythe Division							
Chicago	34	12	15	7	103	124	31
Vancouver	36	13	20	3	116	139	29
St. Louis	38	7	26	5	108	179	19
Colorado	36	6	24	6	96	154	18

Saturday Games

Atlanta at NY Islanders (aft)
NY Rangers at Chicago
Philadelphia at St. Louis
Boston at Montreal
Washington at Toronto
Detroit at Pittsburgh
Vancouver at Los Angeles
Minnesota at Colorado

BUFFALO 3, VANCOUVER 3

First Period

No scoring.
Penalties— Seiling Buf 7:16, McIlhargey Vcr major 12:54, Stewart Buf 20:00.

Second Period

1. Vancouver, Sedlbauer 24 (Manno, Eriksson) 13:08
2. Vancouver, Lever 10 (Smyl, Kearns) 14:21
3. Buffalo, Gare 11 (R. Martin, Perreault) 18:35

Penalties— Perreault Buf, Oddleifson Vcr 5:23, Gare Buf double minor, Snepsts Vcr 11:14, Stewart Buf 11:46, Holt Vcr 17:59.

Third Period

4. Buffalo, Seiling 7 (Schoenfeld, Ramsay) 3:09
5. Vancouver, Gradin 12 (Smyl, Holt) 9:33
6. Buffalo, Gare 12 (Ramsay, Stewart) 11:37

Penalty—Gillis Vcr 0:55.

Shots on goal by

Buffalo	10	7	7	—24
Vancouver	8	14	5	—27

Goal—Sauve, Buffalo; Hanlon, Vancouver.
Attendance—16,413

LOS ANGELES 3, MONTREAL 3

First Period

1. Los Angeles, Jensen 8 (Goring, Hampton) 9:31
2. Los Angeles, Jensen 9 (Goring) 11:39

Penalties—None.

Second Period

3. Los Angeles, Dionne 24 (Taylor, Manery) 8:16
4. Montreal, Gainey 8 (Houle, Larouche) 10:10
5. Montreal, Lafleur 24 (Hughes, Napier) 13:06

Penalties—Palmer LA 1:17, B. Wilson LA 5:01

Third Period

6. Montreal, Tremblay 12 (Lambert, Chartraw) 6:45

Penalties—B. Wilson LA, Engblom Mtl majors 11:01, Robinson Mtl 12:04.

Shots on goal by

Los Angeles	11	4	11	—26
Montreal	5	17	8	—31

Goal—Lessard, Los Angeles; Larocque, Montreal.
Attendance—17,153.

SCORING LEADERS

	G	A	P
Trottier, NYI	26	33	59
Lafleur, Mtl	24	35	59
MacMillan, Atl	16	38	54
Chouinard, Atl	24	28	52
Dionne, LA	24	26	50
Bossy, NYI	28	21	49
Federko, StL	13	35	48
Potvin, NYI	15	31	46
Middleton, Bos	16	29	45
Gillies, NYI	13	32	45
Lysiak, Atl	18	25	43
McNab, Bos	20	22	42
Sittler, Tor	19	23	42

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NY ISLANDERS 10, ATLANTA 4

First Period

1. NY Islanders, Potvin 15 (Trottier, Persson) 6:55
2. NY Islanders Trottier 26 (Bossy, Gillies) 16:55

Penalties—Plett Atl 6:10, Bourne NYI 12:27.

Second Period

3. Atlanta, Chouinard 23 (MacMillan, Ribble) 3:38
4. Atlanta, Chouinard 24 (MacMillan, Pronovost) 5:20
5. NY Islanders, Bossy 26 (Potvin, Persson) 11:43
6. NY Islanders, Bourne 12 (Kaszycki) 12:20
7. Atlanta, Plett 11 (Lalonde, Fox) 12:37
8. NY Islanders, Bossy 27 (Trottier, Gillies) 15:37
9. NY Islanders, Bossy 28 (Trottier, Persson) 18:25

Penalties—Lorimer NYI 3:43, Plett Atl 6:56, Lorimer NYI 9:23, Vail Atl 10:02, Plett Atl 18:09.

Third Period

10. NY Islanders, Gillies 13 (Trottier, Lewis) 0:22
11. NY Islanders, Tonelli 10 (Lewis, Harris) 6:36
12. NY Islanders, Merrick 5 (Harris, Tonelli) 7:07
13. Atlanta, Pronovost 14 (Marsh, Lysiak) 16:36
14. NY Islanders, Merrick 6 (Howatt) 18:53

Penalty—Smith NYI (served by Bossy) 7:15.

Shots on goal by

NY Islanders	11	10	9	—30
Atlanta	9	7	12	—28

Goal—Smith, NY Islanders; Bouchard, Belanger, Atlanta.
Attendance—12,377.

NY RANGERS 5, PHILA. 6

First Period

1. NY Rangers, Hickey 18 (Hedberg, Nilsson) 7:20
2. Philadelphia, MacLeish 15 (McCarthy, Dunlop) 10:03
3. Philadelphia, Clarke 8 12:06
4. Philadelphia, Leach 16 (Barber) 12:26

Penalties—Bridgman Pha, DeBlois NYR majors 3:36, McCarthy Pha 16:35.

Second Period

5. NY Rangers, Nilsson 12 (Hedberg, Hickey) 4:29
6. NY Rangers, Greschner 14 (DeBlois, Vickers) 9:56

Penalties—Dupont Pha 0:43, Esposito NYR, Clarke Pha minors, majors 6:23, McCarthy Pha 8:26, Marois NYR 10:17, Nilsson NYR 13:32, Maloney NYR double minor, misconduct 14:42.

Third Period

7. Philadelphia, Clarke 9 (Leach, Barber) 0:37
8. NY Rangers, Esposito 18 (Plante, Talafous) 2:16
9. Philadelphia, Leach 17 (Watson, MacLeish) 6:25
10. NY Rangers, Vickers 10 (Duguay, Esposito) 10:04
11. Philadelphia, Holmgren 6 (Watson) 16:38

Penalties—Hedberg NYR double minor, Parent Pha, Barber Pha 3:01, Clarke Pha 8:48, Bridgman Pha, Maloney NYR 12:54.

Shots on goal by

NY Rangers	4	4	17	—25
Philadelphia	9	11	12	—32

Goal—Soetaert, NY Rangers; Parent, Philadelphia.
Attendance—17,077.

According to the Solunar Tables calculated for this area, the best times for hunting and fishing for the next 48 hours will be as follows (times shown are Pacific Standard):

Minor	Major	Minor	Major
A.M.		P.M.	
TODAY			
3:40	10:25	4:15	10:55
TOMORROW			
4:35	11:30	5:10	11:55

Minor periods, shorter duration, light type.
Major periods, lasting 1½ to 2 hours are shown in bold.

Irving sparks Bruin win

KARLSTAD, Sweden (CP-Reuter) — Randy Irving didn't dress for New Westminster Bruins' opening world junior hockey championship game against Finland Wednesday when the Finns scored a 3-1 victory.

But with Irving, a Lake Cowichan product, restored to the lineup Thursday, coach Ernie McLean got a pleasant surprise from the winger's two-goal performance that led the Canadian squad to a 6-2 win over West Germany in a Group. A game.

In another Group A game, Czechoslovakia overcame a 4-2 deficit at the midway mark of the second period for a 6-4 victory over Norway.

New Westminster, last year's Canadian junior champions, led 2-0 after one period and 4-2 entering the third period.

Despite the apparent ease of the win, McLean said it was a tough spot for the Canadian team, made up primarily of this year's Bruins' entry in the Western Hockey League but complemented by players from other Canadian Major Junior Hockey League teams.

The Canadian team also got goals from John Ogrodnick and Kent Reardon of the Bruins along with Errol Rausse of Seattle Breakers and Gary Lupul of Victoria Cougars, who scored the Bruin goal on Wednesday.

Besides the effort of Irving, McLean had high praise for the work of Reardon, John Paul Kelly and Bill Hobbins against the West German squad that lost its first tournament game, 5-2 to Sweden.

In later games played at Karlskoga, the Soviet Union whipped the United States 7-1 while Sweden edged Finland 2-1.

Neal Broten, a University of Minnesota forward, prevented a Soviet shutout by scoring late in the second period.

The Americans, who played a scoreless third period with the Soviets, were outshot 28-22.

Right winger Gennadi Kurgin and Viacheslav Rjanov scored two goals each for the Soviets.

The Soviets, who have lost only one game in winning all three earlier world junior championship titles, play the Czechoslovaks Saturday when the preliminary round of the tournament ends. On the same day, Canada goes against Sweden, Finland meets West Germany and Norway plays the U.S.

Sweden heads the division in which New Westminster is playing. Finland and the Canadian team are tied for second.

Vikings, Metro move to semis

University of Victoria Vikings and Metro Toyota join Victoria Athletics and Oak Bay in the senior semi-finals of the fourth annual Vancouver Island Soccer League indoor tournament at McKinnon Gym.

Vikings handled Falcons of the fourth division 3-0, then went on to defeat Cosmopolitan Royals (II) 2-0 to earn the berth in Saturday's semi-finals.

Metro grabbed victories over Sooke, 4-1, and Royals (I), 2-0, to take its spot. Athletics and Oak Bay won their splots during Wednesday's opening preliminary round.

Meanwhile, DaVinci (II) and Vantreights (II) join DaVinci (III) and YMCA B in consolation semis, also set for Saturday.

In senior boys play, Spectrum A and Spectrum B will meet in Saturday's final after each won both draws on Thursday.

Parkland and Reynolds will play Saturday's consolation final.

HIGH SCHOOL

Spectrum B 3 Mount Douglas A 2
Cowichan 3 Parkland 2
Spectrum A 3 Reynolds 1
Mount Douglas B 4 Oak Bay 3
Spectrum B 1 Cowichan 0
Spectrum A 1 Mount Douglas B 0
Parkland 3 Mount Douglas A 1
Reynolds 2 Oak Bay 0

SENIOR

Falcons (IV) 2 DaVinci (II) 1
Royals (II) 2 LH Athletics (III) 1
Sooke 1 Lakehill Ormistons (III) 0
Labatts (III) 2 Vantreights (II) 1
UVic 3 Falcons 0
Royals (II) 3 Prospect Lake (II) 1
Metro Toyota (II) 4 Sooke 1
Royals (I) 1 Labatts 0
UVic 2 Royals (II) 0
DaVinci 4 Athletics (III) 1
Vantreights 3 Ormiston 0

Sport today

CURLING

5 and 9 p.m. — Continuation of Super League invitational cash bonspiel, Racquet Club of Victoria.

SOCCER

6 p.m. — Continuation of fourth annual Vancouver Island Soccer League tournament, senior women's preliminaries, McKinnon Gym.

WHA

	G	W	L	T	F	A	P
N. England	32	17	9	6	144	118	40
Quebec	34	18	12	4	132	115	40
Cincinnati	36	15	17	4	130	133	34
Edmonton	31	16	15	0	119	113	32
Winnipeg	31	14	13	4	133	116	32
Brmnghm	33	14	16	3	120	128	31
x-Indnpls	25	5	18	7	78	130	12

x-Disbanded.

BIRMINGHAM (6) — Michel Goulet (7th and 8th), Louis Sleigher (18th and 19th), Rick Cassolato (3rd), Rick Adduono (8th); CINCINNATI (5) — Bill Gilligan (3rd), Mike Gartner (15th and 16th), Reg Thomas (12th), Craig Norwich (4th). Attendance — 10,143.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA (0); QUEBEC (4) — Serge Bernier (18th and 19th), J.C. Tremblay (3rd), Richie Leduc (13th). Attendance — 9,927.

Vikings face No. 1 squad

They pulled rank on Manitoba Bisons Thursday night but now Victoria Vikings are worried St. Mary's Huskies might do the same to them today.

Vikings, ranked third among Canadian university basketball teams, handled unranked Manitoba 90-80 in the opening round of the Wesmen Classic at the University of Winnipeg.

They face St. Mary's, defending national champs and No. 1 in the nation, today at 1 p.m, Victoria time, as preliminary round-robin play continues.

Vikings, Huskies and Manitoba comprise one of two three-team divisions. Host Winnipeg, McMaster Marauders of Hamilton and Bishops Gaiters of Quebec form the remaining pool.

In Thursday's only other game, seventh-rated Winnipeg whipped McMaster 89-59.

Today, McMaster tangles with Bishops and Manitoba faces St. Mary's. Top teams in each division clash in a Saturday final.

Robbie Parris came on strong in the second half to score 22 points for UVic, which led 49-40 at the half.

Reni Dolcetti provided the first-half punch, scoring all his 20 points before the break. He ran into foul trouble in the second half. Chris Hebb contributed 17 points for UVic, which snapped a three-game exhibition losing streak.

Meanwhile, closer to home, UVic Vikettes lost their opener in a tournament at Burnaby's Simon Fraser University.

SFU Grads clipped Vikettes, forced to take the floor without three key players, 71-50.

Susan Shaw, Brenda Smith and Jane Favali sat out. Favali, a member of the national junior women's team and the Canada West conference's leading scorer, may be sidelined until March with torn knee ligaments.

Gail Klaver had 19 and Bev Bland scored 18 points for the Grads. Luanne Hebb led UVic with 14 points.

UVic plays in the consolation final of the four-team tournament tonight.

VIKINGS (90) — Robbie Parris 22, Reni Dolcetti 20, Chris Hebb 17, Ted Anderson 8, Gerald Kazanowski 8, Kelly Dukeshire 4, Mickey Welder 4, Ian Hyde-Lay 6, Greg Kazanowski 2.

MANITOBA (80) — Dan Snidal 28, John Taylor 19, Jim Kendall 12, Gary Bulloch 9, Ted Fardoe 4, Kevin Kelleher 6.

VIKETTES (50) — Tracy McAra 4, Michelle Belanger 8, Jane Boe 6, Patti Pesklevits 13, Luanne Hebb 14, Connie Hall, Jan Turner, Cindy Smith 4, Marilyn Brain 1.

SFU GRADS (71) — Wendy Steeves, Bev Bland 18, Lorna Robertson 14, Jane Broatch 6, Joanne Sargent 8, Gail Klaver 19, Jeannie Kanakoff 2, Michelle Desauniers 4.

Stasiuk through with Tigers

Medicine Hat Tigers of the Western Hockey League will head into the new year with a new coach, club operations manager Doug Smeaton announced Thursday.

Vic Stasiuk, coach of the Tigers since September, 1977, resigned and was replaced by Sheldon Ferguson, a 26-year-old Red Deer businessman and majority owner of the Red Deer Rustlers of the Alberta Junior Hockey League.

"He's young, aggressive, and hopefully, he can turn the club around," said Smeaton.

The Tigers are having one of their worst seasons since joining the WHL eight years ago.

They have won seven and tied four of their 34 games this season and are in last place in the central division, eight points behind Calgary Wranglers.

Fans had been expecting a change for some time. Attendance has sagged to its lowest point ever. Only 1,366 turned out for the last home game.

Ferguson owned Billings Bighorns of the WHL for one year before selling out to a Billings businessman last June.

Before buying an interest in the Rustlers last year, he coached the team for two years, taking them to the playoffs both times.

Ferguson's first game as Tigers' coach will be against Billings Bighorns Jan. 3.

Stasiuk had earlier played in the National Hockey League and coached Philadelphia Flyers, California Golden Seals, Vancouver Canucks. His last coaching job had been with Taber Golden Suns of the Alberta Junior Hockey League.

In Thursday's only league action, Saskatoon Blades travelled to Edmotnon and scored a 4-2 win over the Oil Kings before only 640 fans.

Kelly Kuspira, Ken Federko, Bill MacNaught and Lindsay Carson scored for the Blades, who scored two goals in each of the last two periods. Mike Schneider and Larry McCarger scored for the Oil Kings.

	G	W	L	T	F	A	P
Eastern Division							
Brandon	32	26	1	5	237	95	57
Saskatoon	36	10	16	10	195	206	30
Edmonton	38	11	19	8	153	188	30
Regina	34	8	23	3	138	252	19
Central Division							
Billings	35	22	9	4	194	125	48
Lethbridge	37	10	14	3	202	141	43
Calgary	38	11	23	4	169	216	26
Medicine Hat	34	7	23	4	122	231	18
Western Division							
Portland	29	19	5	5	189	116	43
Victoria	35	18	13	4	165	151	40
New West	33	17	14	2	148	136	36
Seattle	35	11	20	4	146	180	26

Sunday Game

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WE STARTED what might easily become a new family tradition on Boxing Day.

On Tuesday we headed off to check the Barbie-Lu, our 18½-foot mini-cruiser at Sooke Harbor Marina and the water looked so inviting wife Taffy and I headed out for a little cruise.

We took along some leftover turkey, ham and sausages — no booze — and cooked up a light lunch on board while we cruised slowly along the shoreline of East Sooke Park.

In spite of the fact we met Bob McMahon unloading a 28½-pound chinook at dockside before we headed out, we didn't bother with our fishing lines. This was to be a relaxing fun cruise to shake off the Christmas festivity cobwebs.

McMahon had gone fishing at 10 in the morning and was back at the dock by noon with his big fish, taken at the 12 fathom mark on blue and white hootchie over a Minnow Teaser head. "I have hooked into three of these in the past week, but this is the first one I landed," he said.

The water was flat calm on Tuesday and we saw quite a number of hikers in East Sooke park.

It was rather nostalgic for us to explore the shoreline and find the little bay and the land, with an island almost joining it, which way back in the 1950s we tried to lease from the provincial lands department. It was crown land and we wanted to pre-empt our little piece of it. It was our application that sent the lands inspector and the deputy recreation minister out to take a second look ... and instead of keeping it for subdivision as they had planned they placed a park reserve on it. So we like to feel that the people have East Sooke regional park today, because we wanted a piece of it 20 years ago.

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AFTER OUR CRUISE we headed for our Gordon Beach cabin to do a little hiking along the beach.

We found the beach swept clean of logs and Ira and Elsie Erb told us that on the Thursday before there had been a terrific surf — 25 foot breakers, the biggest they had seen in 20 years on the beach. If it had been a high tide it would have been the end for some of our little cabins, but fortunately the surf came in on a flat calm day (as usual) on a mid-tide. As it was one cabin had some of its patio washed away, while the occupants sat inside frightened stiff as they watched the huge surf break on the beach and surge up to the cabins.

But those heavy seas do some good. They sweep the beach clean and they roll over the stones and boulders. After the winter surf is an ideal time to search for beach pebbles ... and on Tuesday we did find some agates and other interesting pebbles which we will soon have in the polisher.

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TIDE-WISE, THE WORST may be still to come. Today and Saturday bring two of the highest tides of the year ... 10.7 feet around noon each day, only .2 inches below the highest tide of 1978, which occurred Jan. 8. If the forecast holds and it is cold, with no surf, we won't have any worries about the cabins. But, with those high tides also come super low tides of .9 inches at 8:20 p.m. tonight and 9:15 Saturday night, which are ideal tides for a winter clam digging expedition.

Highest tide of 1979 comes Jan. 27, a 10.6-footer at Sooke at 11:55 a.m., with a correspondingly low tide for clam digging at 8:05 p.m., a 1.1-footer.

Easter weekend, Friday, April 13 to April 15, provides no extremes in tides, which means it would be a good time (but a little early in the season) for a West Coast Trail hike, with mid-morning lows for beach hiking. But, it isn't the weekend to visit Port Renfrew's Botanical Beach. There will be the same medium tides for the Victoria Day holiday weekend, with low tides in mid-afternoon, but no extremes.

Lowest tide of 1979 will be Monday and Tuesday June 11 and 12, which will see .6-foot tides in mid-mornings, ideal tides for visiting Botanical Beach and Sombrio and other places for inter-tidal zone beach explorations. The Sunday tide will also be low, at .9 feet.

May 26 and 27, which I expect will be Swiftsure weekend, bring low tides in the morning (1.5 and 1.4) good for clam digging and with increased clam limits now we may once again dig some clams in the morning and hold a clam chowder Swiftsure party to watch the races from our Gordon Beach cabin.

May 12, 13 and 14, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, bring 1.7 to 1.2 low tides, good for clam digging and beach explorations.

Good time for a beach holiday, with low, low tides in the morning and the water coming in on the warm sand all day is the July 8 to July 11 period, with July 10 tide dropping to .6 inches at Sooke at 9:55 a.m., sharing honors for lowest tide of the year. The Aug. 5 to Aug. 8 period is another good time for beach holiday with morning tides from 2.1 to 1.3.

Dec. 2, 3 and 4, 1979, will see more high tides around noon at Sooke, 10.4 feet on all three days. Dec. 4 will see a late evening clam party tide, 1.8 feet at 9 p.m. at Sooke. Dec. 30 and 31 will see more high tides, 10.4 feet at Sooke at 10:30 p.m. and 11 p.m. ... two more days to worry about a storm followed by high surf which could damage our beach-side cabins.

TV invades privacy of playing field

By WILL GRIMSLEY

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Television's one-eyed monster has a tenacious curiosity and ears bigger than its orbit. So what was it doing on the sidelines at the Fiesta Bowl in Tempe, Ariz., on Christmas Day when UCLA and Arkansas played to a useless 10-10 tie?

With the live captive audience of millions looking and listening, there was this microphone stuck in the face of UCLA coach Terry Donahue just as the Bruins intercepted an Arkansas pass.

Suddenly whistles blew and flags started dropping. The turnover was nullified by a penalty against UCLA.

Crackle, sizzle, pop.

Out of the young coach's mouth came an epithet unfit for tender ears—especially on a quiet Christmas afternoon. The words are most often found on the walls of public latrines.

Oops! Certainly, Donahue was embarrassed, but he was caught off guard. He felt sorry afterward, but it was too late.

Across the field on the Arkansas side there was Lou Holtz, the Razorbacks' fiesty coach, with an electronic device stuck to his chest.

"Sixty, wide to the left," he mumbled to one of his cleated messengers relaying plays from the bench to the huddle.

Up high in the press box, NBC announcer Curt Gowdy thumbed quickly through some pages.

"It's going to an option play to his left," Gowdy explained hurriedly. By that time, the Arkansas quarterback had already thrown an errant pass.

"One sixty-five, deep," said Holtz to one of his messengers.

Gowdy rummaged through his papers.

"I can't find this one," he said frantically.

"That's okay, just wait for the next one," said his press box companion, John Brodie.

The bizarre sequence of these events raises the vital question: What should be the extent of electronic intrusion in big time sports?

Does TV, with its vast exposure and resources that subsidize most major events, have the right—denied other media—to go on the playing field and probe the most confidential areas of the participants?

Does the wiring of a coach or a player—as in the case of Holtz in the Fiesta Bowl—serve any useful purpose or add anything to the spectator's enjoyment of the game?

The embarrassment caused by Donahue's impulsive remark and the confusion of trying to tip the fans off to Holtz' strategy in advance seem to dictate a definite No.

Keep the big eye where it belongs—recording the event, not anticipating or judging it.

Holtz is a very articulate, funny fellow. To wire him for sound would be a good idea if he were doing a stand-up routine at Las Vegas. But, on the football sidelines, it inhibits and distracts him. It only confounds the viewers.

This is not the first time television has sought to gain an edge by equipping the principals with wires and batteries.

In the 1977 World Series, Los Angeles Dodgers' Tom Lasorda, another glib character, was wired for sound in the World Series against New York Yankees.

A batter reaching third was heard to say, "I sure knocked the (bleep bleep) out of that ball."

However, the greatest embarrassment occurred when a World Series film revealed plate umpire John McSherry telling manager Lasorda he wasn't rushing him on a mound decision, adding, "I'm here to help." This incensed Yankee owner George Steinbrenner to the extent that he led a move to bring major league umpires into conformity.

The National Football League has permitted wiring of coaches and players on certain occasions but for NFL highlight films only, never in live games.

There is pressure to use instant replays for close judgment calls.

Forget it. Replays will only turn up unseen fouls, inhibit officials and result in chaos.

Fairbanks

. . . discovered diamond

Grogan double threat

FOXBORO, Mass. (AP) — The skeptics howled, but New England Patriots coach Chuck Fairbanks and playoff-ready quarterback Steve Grogan proved that National Football League teams can do more than just wish for an explosive wishbone offence.

The Patriots won't actually use that college formation here Sunday against Houston Oilers in the American Conference semi-finals. But they've risen to the top with the closest thing to it—a pro signal caller who is a running back.

When Fairbanks arrived from at Oklahoma six years ago, the coach made it clear that he was bringing his wishbone run-pass option ideas on offence with him.

In 1974, Fairbanks even claimed safety Jack Mildren with the apparent idea of trying him as an NFL wishbone quarterback. Mildren had been just that in college.

New England at the time was an also-ran, saddled with a drop back passer—Jim Plunkett, who was a good bet for the stretcher each time he tucked the ball under his arm.

Enter Grogan. It was as if Fairbanks, while mining for coal, discovered a diamond.

With Plunkett hurt in 1975, Grogan, a fifth-round draft pick from Kansas State and pegged as no better than a backup quarterback in the NFL, got a chance. His passing was erratic, but Fairbanks saw something else.

The rangy signal caller could complete important passes. But more important, he could run and get up after being tackled.

In four NFL season, Grogan now has piled up 1,370 yards rushing—539 for a 6.7 a carry average this year—and scored 21 touchdowns.

Skeptics stopped asking when Grogan would be decapitated on a bootleg dash because the quarterback has been an ironman. He hasn't missed a game, although a knee sprain took him out early in the meaningless 1978 regular season finale in Miami.

Malcontents even have stopped hooting for a more consistent passer—Grogan has 82 NFL interceptions—because the 6-foot-4, 208-pound signal caller has a knack of being most accurate in the late stages of a close game.

Grogan says his knee is adequatedly rested for the playoffs. Both Fairbanks and Oilers coach Bum Phiips call the quarterback New England's chief weapon.

Fran Tarkenton, the veteran scrambler, proved the value of mobile quarterbacks, and Greg Landry demonstrated that signal callers can run straight ahead instead of from side to side.

But Grogan, backed by a solid team and a stubborn coach, has carved out a niche as the NFL's No. 1 double threat—run or pass—quarterback.

"Grogan makes their big plays," says Phillips. "You've got to keep watching him."

When he turns upfield against the Oilers, Grogan will be carrying New England's Super Bowl hopes as well as the football. And Fairbanks, ready to return to the college ranks at Colorado, can say: "I told you so."

Norris winners lead voting

NEW YORK (AP) — Larry Robinson of Montreal Canadiens and Denis Potvin of New York Islanders, winners of Norris Trophies as the National Hockey League's top defencemen for the last three years, have taken over the lead in all-star balloting by the fans, it was announced Thursday.

Robinson, who won the Norris in 1977, has received 27,930 votes, and Potvin, the 1976 and 1978 Norris winner, has 26,969. Borje Salming of Toronto Maple Leafs is third with 25,112 and Ron Greschner of New York Rangers fourth at 24,931.

Two Rangers' forwards, left winger Pat Hickey and centre Ulf Nilsson, continued to lead at their positions. Hickey has 34,326 votes to 16,805 for runner-up Steve Shutt of Montreal. Nilsson has 18,912 to 13,029 for second-place Ivan Boldirev of Chicago Black Hawks.

Montreal's Guy Lafleur leads the right wingers with 31,538 to 25,895 for Anders Hedberg of the Rangers.

Tony Esposito of Chicago leads the goaltending vote with 23,106 to 15,628 for Ken Dryden of Montreal.

The NHL all-stars will oppose the Soviet national team in a three-game series at New York's Madison Square Garden, Feb. 8, 10 and 11.

Clerc drops out

MELBOURNE, Australia (AP) — Jose-Luis Clerc of Argentina, No. 2 seed in the $300,000 Australian Open tennis tournament, suffered a recurrence of a knee injury Thursday and forfeited his first-round match to Australian John Marks.

Clerc, who had damaged ligaments in his right knee during a tournament in Buenos Aires four weeks ago and struggled painfully through the New South Wales Open in Sydney last week, won the first set from Marks in a tie-breaker.

Then, to the surprise of the centre court crowd, he heeded the advice of a physician and bowed out of the match.

RCV midgets reach semis

NORTH VANCOUVER — Racquet Club of Victoria moved to the A-division semi-finals of the North Shore Winter Club Midget hockey invitational following a 6-5 victory Thursday over Edmonton.

RCV, which blanked Coquitlam 6-0 on Wednesday, faces Burnaby Minors in the semi.

Another south Island entry didn't fare so well. After handling North Van 8-3 on Wednesday, Saanich Midgets came out on the short end of an 11-1 drubbing by the host team. Saanich now drops to division C.

Final of the 16-team tournament is set for Saturday.

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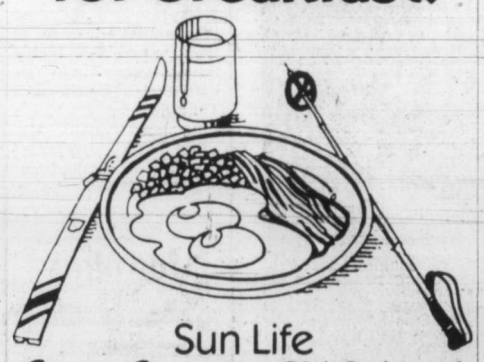

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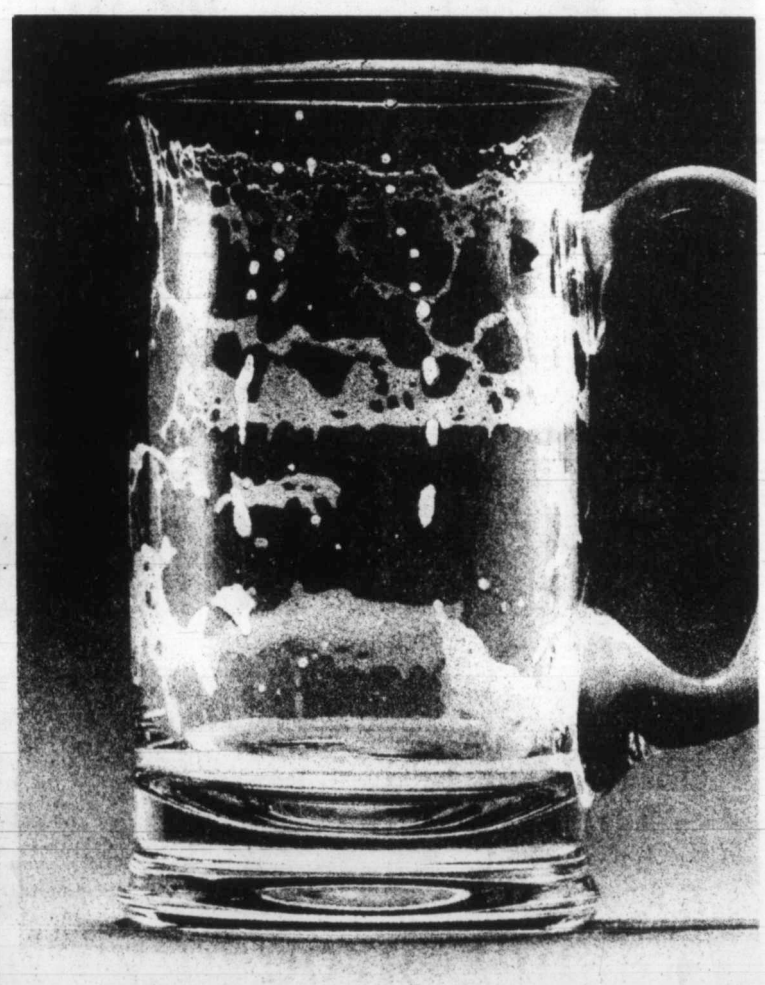

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FIFA defends decision

ZURICH, Switzerland (Reuter) — World soccer's governing body rejected Thursday criticisms that it discriminated against East European Communist countries in arrangements for the qualifying competition of the 1980 Olympic Games' tournament.

The International Football Federation referred in its official monthly magazine, FIFA News, to complaints that five Communist countries—Czechoslovakia, Bulgaria, Hungary, Romania and Poland—were drawn in the same qualifying group, and therefore only one of them could look forward to the final series in Moscow.

FIFA press officer Rene Courte said in an editorial that the Soviet Union, as the organizing country, and East Germany, reigning Olympic champions, automatically qualified for the finals, so that altogether three East European countries would play in Moscow.

Out of the remaining 14 European countries drawn in three qualifying groups for the Olympic tournament, a maximum of three and possibly only two, would reach the finals, he said.

"If some thought is given to this, one can hardly say that the FIFA amateur committee intends to discriminate against East European football associations," Courte said.

The possibility of only two other European teams reaching the finals is due to the inclusion of Israel in European qualifying group three along with Holland, Spain, Belgium and France.

In a related development, FIFA announced that president Joao Havelange and general secretary Helmut Kaeser would discuss next month with top International Olympic Committee officials a dispute over FIFA's exclusion of East European World Cup players from the Olympic soccer tournament.

Havelange and Kaeser will attend a session of the IOC's nine-man executive board headed by IOC president Lord Killanin in Lausanne Jan. 29-30.

FIFA refused last month an IOC request to defer putting into effect a FIFA congress decision last May banning European and South American countries from fielding World Cup players in their Olympic teams.

The ban struck mainly at East European Communist countries, which maintain all their athletes are amateurs. They have dominated the Olympic soccer tournament since 1952 by fielding their strongest national squads against amateur sides from the rest of the world.

The IOC complained that the FIFA action broke fundamental Olympic principles of non-discrimination, and appealed to the soccer body to reconsider the ban. But FIFA replied that it was impossible to alter the congress decision.

Hansen injured

SEATTLE (AP) — Rookie centre Lars Hansen of Coquitlam suffered a broken nose Wednesday night after being hit accidentally with an elbow by team-mate Wally Walker in the final minute of play of the Seattle SuperSonics' 122-103 National Basketball Association victory over New Orleans Jazz.

Seattle coach Lenny Wilkens said he couldn't say immediately how long Hansen might be out of action. The 6-foot-10 former Canadian national team star was signed recently to a second 10-day contract. The Sonics sought Hansen after starting centre Tom LaGarde was lost indefinitely after undergoing knee surgery.

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Sport digest

Rider killed by lightning

MIAMI (AP) — A 25-year-old jockey was struck and killed by lightning at Calder racetrack Thursday.

Witnesses said Niconar Navarro, formerly of Panama, was struck as he jogged across the track after the second race of the day. They said Navarro and the other jockeys had weighed in after the race, and that he fell behind when he stopped to brush himself off.

As he began running to catch up with the other jockeys headed for the jockeys' room, he was struck. He was dead on arrival at Parkway General Hospital.

There were no other serious injuries, but five track valets experienced mild shocks from the lightning.

Calder cancelled the remainder of the program.

Football player dies

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) — Michael Morris, a Texas Tech football player who went into a coma after elective surgery earlier this month, died before midnight Wednesday night.

Morris had been comatose in Methodist Hospital's intensive care unit since complications developed after he underwent a thyroid operation Dec. 11.

Morris was a sophomore split end. He played a prominent role in his team's upset of Southwest Conference champion Houston.

Coaching help for Jets

WINNIPEG (CP) — Bill Sutherland, a former left winger with Winnipeg Jets, has been named assistant coach of the World Hockey Association club.

Sutherland has 49 years of professional hockey experience as a player, including two seasons with the Jets in 1972-73 and 1973-74.

Sutherland, team-mate of Winnipeg coach Larry Hillman in 1969 when both played for Philadelphia Flyers of the National Hockey League, said he was "pleased and excited to be actively involved in hockey once again—especially in Winnipeg."

Housewife hits jackpot

LONDON (AP) — An English housewife won about $1,250,000 Thursday by forecasting eight draws in English soccer games.

Janet Smith, 38, correctly pinpointed all eight score draws on matches played last Saturday.

The win is the biggest ever by one person on the soccer pools, in which millions gamble every week.

Spencer out

NEW YORK (AP) — A cast was placed on the sprained right ankle of New York Knicks forward Spencer Haywood and the National Basketball Association team said he would miss at least two games.

Haywood was injured during practice Tuesday.

First rights

MONCTON, N.B. (CP) — New Brunswick has been given first refusal rights for the 1985 Canada Summer Games.

Fisheries minister Romeo LeBlanc, New Brunswick's representative in the federal cabinet, made the announcement at a news conference Thursday on behalf of Iona Campagnolo, Canada's minister of fitness and amateur sport.

U.S. wins

LONOON (Reuter) — An American team from Kentucky defeated Windsor, Ont., 132-94 in the first round of a men's international club basketball tournament Thursday.

In another game, Macabbi Tel Aviv of Israel defeated Australia's junior team 111-81.

Met okay

NEW YORK (AP) — Third baseman-outfielder Elliott Maddox of New York Mets was recuperating in Roosevelt Hospital Thursday following surgery for the removal of cartilage in his right thumb. The operation was performed Wednesday and a spokesman for the National League baseball team said Maddox would leave the hospital today.

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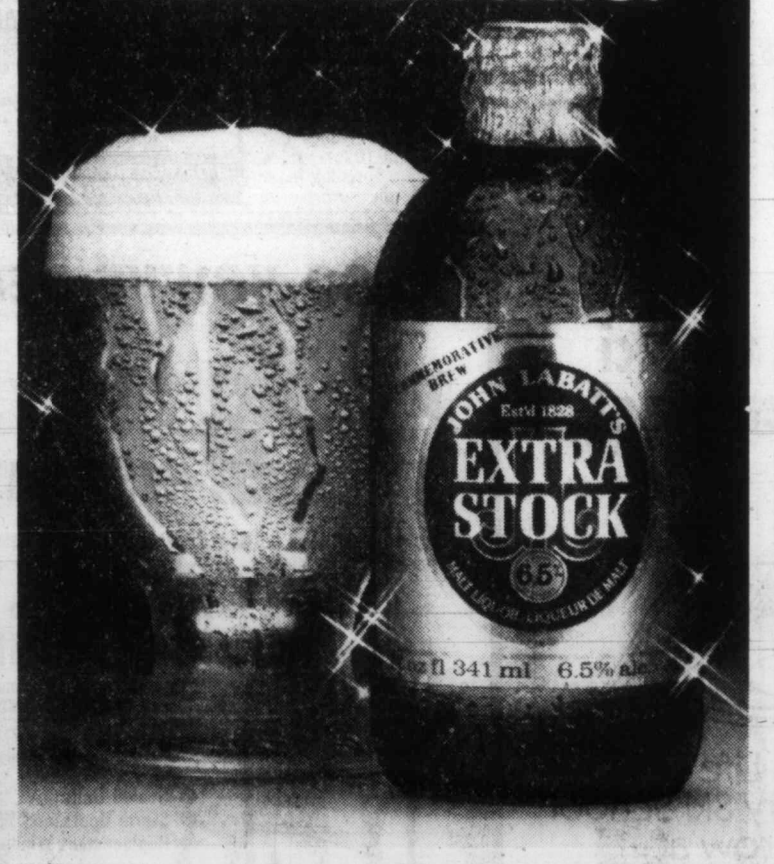

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Club denies drug charge

EAST BERLIN (Reuter) — An East Berlin sports club denied Thursday claims by a former East German athlete that she was forced to take performance-boosting drugs while a member.

A spokesman for the TSC Berlin Club, of which sprinter Renate Neufeld was a member before fleeing to the West last year, said: "It is not the practice here that athletes are forced to take anything."

Neufeld said in a statement published in the West German press Wednesday night that under threat of reprisals, she had been made to take hormone tablets to increase her performance on the track.

She said the drugs had painful side effects, but she was compelled to continue taking them. She also alleged she ran into trouble for refusing to join East Germany's ruling Communist party.

The TSC spoksman, who said Neufeld "must have her own reasons for make such allegations," declined comment when asked whether the club ever used hormone tablets.

East Germany, with a population of 17 million, has gained a reputation as one of the world's foremost sporting nations. Its officials have always denied that banned drugs played a part in securing the country's remarkable sports triumphs.

Turcotte
. . . fighting back

Turcotte eyes training career

Paralysis only a setback

NEW YORK (CP) — Ron Turcotte says he was never afraid of being killed on the race track.

But four months after a spill that ended his jockey career, the famous rider says he considers himself lucky to be alive.

"You always have to say you could have been gone on the spot," Turcotte said in an interview conducted at his hospital bedside.

"You're lucky to be alive, because where there's life, there's hope."

That hope keeps Turcotte looking forward to the day when he will be able to walk again and take up training horses despite what doctors have told him.

"They all say I have no chance of walking again. I don't believe that. Doctors are human. They make mistakes.

"They can't see what's inside the spinal cord. They don't know the extent of the damage and a lot of things can happen."

Turcotte was left paralysed from the waist down when he spilled from his mount, Flag of Leyette Gulf, at Belmont racetrack on July 13.

The 36-year-old jockey from Grand Falls, N.B., underwent an operation that failed to correct the damage and later suffered a severe case of meningitis that left him weak.

He has since rebuilt the strength in his arms and upper torso and can lift himself into a wheelchair.

"I manage to transfer in and out of cars, bed and, you know, to get around. I'm starting ambulation class which means walking with steel braces . . . and crutches.

Turcotte had 3,033 winners in his career with purses totalling $28,844,203. He was best known for guiding Secretariat to the Triple Crown in the United States in 1973.

While he often thought about the possibility of a crippling accident, Turcotte says he never let it bother him.

"I never feared death. But you always fear being injured permanently, being paralysed or stuff like that. And I guess the fear did happen."

Despite a spill last May at Edmonton in which he suffered broken ribs and a punctured lung, the fear never prevented him from getting back on a horse.

"If you were afraid you were going to be hurt you wouldn't be riding," he says.

Turcotte realizes he will not ride again, at least not in a race.

"I would like to train horses. That's my intention now. Again, it all depends how well I get and what I can do.

"I feel I know a lot about horses and I feel I owe a lot to putting that knowledge back into the game as far as training horses."

U.K. soccer tables

LONDON (CP) — British soccer standings after games played Tuesday:

ENGLISH LEAGUE

Division I

	W	T	L	F	A	P
Liverpool	15	3	3	47	9	33
Everton	12	8	1	31	15	32
West Brom	12	5	2	38	15	29
Arsenal	10	7	4	36	19	27
Notts F	8	11	1	21	12	27
Leeds	3	8	6	40	29	24
Bristol C	9	6	7	28	22	24
Man United	9	6	6	29	34	24
Coventry	9	6	6	28	34	24
Aston Villa	7	9	5	26	19	23
Tottenham	8	7	6	24	35	23
Southampton	6	8	7	25	28	20
Derby	7	5	10	26	40	19
Norwich	4	10	5	30	30	18
Man City	5	7	8	26	25	17
Ipswich	7	3	11	24	29	17
Bolton	6	5	11	29	41	17
Middlesbrough	6	4	11	30	31	16
Queens P.R.	4	7	9	17	26	15
Wolverhampton	5	1	14	16	39	11
Chelsea	2	6	13	21	43	10
Birmingham	2	4	15	19	36	8

Division II

	W	T	L	F	A	P
Crystal P	10	9	3	33	17	29
Stoke	10	8	4	30	21	28
Brighton	12	3	7	41	24	27
West Ham	10	5	6	40	23	25
Sunderland	9	7	6	32	27	25
Newcastle	10	5	7	24	21	25
Notts C	8	9	5	30	35	25
Burnley	9	6	6	35	32	24
Fulham	9	5	7	30	25	23
Orient	9	4	9	26	25	22
Bristol R	9	4	8	30	36	22
Wrexham	7	7	6	25	21	21
Charlton	7	7	8	35	36	21
Preston	7	6	9	36	39	20
Cambridge	5	10	7	23	29	20
Luton	8	3	9	37	26	19
Oldham	6	7	7	28	34	19
Leicester	4	10	7	18	22	18
Sheffield U	6	4	10	25	30	16
Cardiff	5	4	12	25	47	14
Blackburn	3	7	10	22	36	13
Millwall	4	4	14	19	38	12

Division III

	W	T	L	F	A	P
Watford	14	3	5	44	25	31
Shrewsbury	10	10	2	29	16	30
Swansea	12	4	6	41	31	28
Swindon	12	2	6	27	19	26
Gillingham	7	11	3	26	19	25
Carlisle	6	12	3	22	15	24
Rotherham	10	4	8	26	24	24
Chesterfield	7	9	6	29	27	23
Chester	9	5	7	25	26	23
Plymouth	7	8	6	31	29	22
Blackpool	9	4	8	23	25	22
Southend	6	9	7	28	23	21
Exeter	7	7	7	24	20	21
Colchester	6	8	7	20	24	20
Oxford	5	10	6	20	25	20
Sheffield W	5	10	6	20	26	20
Hull	7	5	8	29	24	19
Walsall	6	6	9	31	31	18
Mansfield	4	10	8	22	29	18
Brentford	7	5	11	19	27	18
Bury	3	11	6	24	27	17
Peterborough	4	9	9	22	32	17
Tranmere	3	7	11	22	36	13
Lincoln	2	6	13	15	39	10

Division IV

	W	T	L	F	A	P
Wimbledon	13	6	3	39	26	32
Portsmouth	14	3	5	40	18	31
Reading	12	6	4	35	21	30
Barnsley	11	7	3	35	16	29
Aldershot	10	9	3	31	20	29
Grimsby	11	4	7	35	23	26
Wigan	10	4	7	23	19	24
Hereford	8	6	8	31	27	22
Scunthorpe	8	6	8	27	27	22
Newport	7	7	8	29	30	21
Torquay	9	3	8	25	26	21
Hartlepoole	6	9	6	24	29	21
Bournemouth	7	6	8	21	17	20
Stockport	7	6	9	30	28	20
Port Vale	7	6	7	32	32	20
Huddersfield	7	6	8	23	23	20
Bradford	9	2	9	27	31	20
York	8	4	9	20	29	20
Darlington	6	7	9	26	30	19
Northampton	6	6	9	31	35	18
Doncaster	5	6	10	24	32	16
Crewe Al	3	8	10	20	38	14
Rochdale	2	6	13	11	36	10
Halifax Town	1	5	16	14	40	7

SCOTTISH LEAGUE

Premier Division

	W	T	L	F	A	P
Dundee U	8	7	3	25	16	23
Partick	8	5	5	19	16	21
Aberdeen	6	8	4	29	17	20
Rangers	6	8	4	22	18	20
Celtic	7	5	6	26	21	19
St. Mirren	7	4	7	20	17	18
Morton	6	6	6	22	25	18
Hibernian	4	8	6	19	23	16
Hearts	5	5	8	22	34	15
Motherwell	3	4	11	18	35	10

Division I

	W	T	L	F	A	P
Dundee	12	6	4	33	16	30
Clydebank	13	2	6	45	33	28
Kilmarnock	9	8	5	41	22	26
Ayr	11	3	7	38	27	25
Clyde	10	5	7	42	35	25
Hamilton	9	6	7	35	36	24
Dumbarton	7	8	5	31	24	22
Raith	7	5	9	31	31	19
Airdrieonians	6	6	9	35	36	18
Stirling	7	4	10	23	37	18
Queen of S	7	4	10	24	40	18
St. Johnstone	3	9	8	23	31	15
Montrose	4	7	10	33	47	15
Arbroath	4	5	12	23	42	13

Division II

	W	T	L	F	A	P
Falkirk	13	3	3	39	12	29
Berwick	10	5	5	43	28	25
Dunfermline	9	7	3	38	25	25
Fife	10	5	7	37	32	25
Forfar	9	6	6	37	29	24
Queen's Pk	7	6	8	31	25	20
Cowdenbeath	7	6	7	30	35	20
Alloa	7	6	8	30	27	20
Stranraer	9	2	11	26	36	20
Brechin	4	9	7	30	26	17
E. Stirling	5	6	9	31	44	16
Stenhousemuir	6	3	11	23	33	15
Meadowbank	5	5	10	21	38	15
Albion	5	3	11	29	35	12

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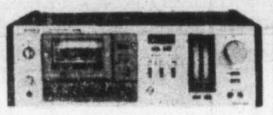

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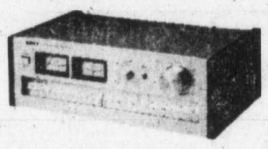

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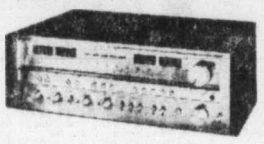

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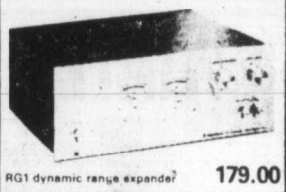

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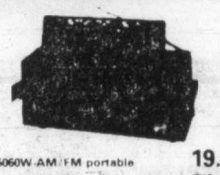

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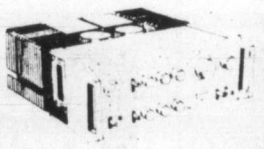

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Simon group has the edge on Orioles

BALTIMORE (AP) — The baseball fans of Baltimore are afflicted with their annual case of jitters.

Negotiations are again under way, as they have been almost every off-season in recent years, concerning the possible sale of Baltimore Orioles.

It's been so commonplace that each succeeding report causes less of a stir. But, one day, the city may well find itself without an American League franchise.

Last year, the hot rumor was that the Orioles would be moved to Denver after that city failed in its efforts to obtain Oakland Athletics.

Various other groups have made pitches to buy the Orioles. Bill Veeck came the closest before the deal collapsed, and he ended up purchasing Chicago White Sox.

The prospective buyer this time around is William Simon, the New York banking consultant who served as secretary of the treasury in the Nixon and Ford administrations.

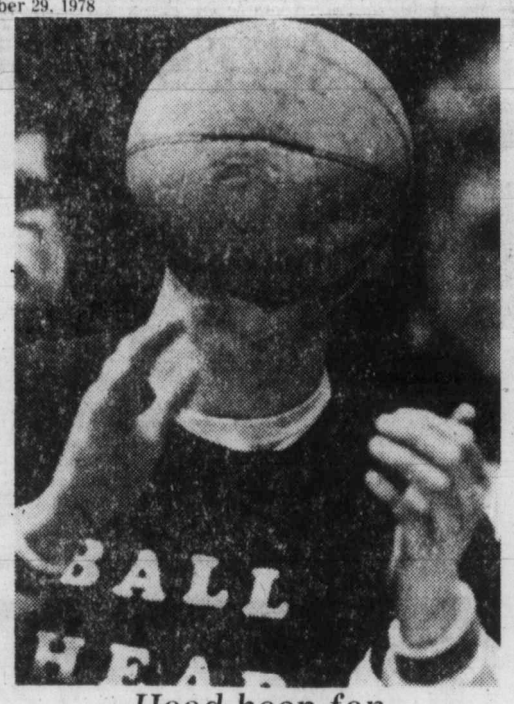
Jerold Hoffberger, the Orioles' board chairman, confirmed Thursday he had met with Simon at his suburban Riderwood home Wednesday, but contended: "Nothing happened."

"I think Mr. Simon is a very serious man, but we didn't come to any conclusion," Hoffberger said. "I have no contract, and I'm not close to selling the team. If I were the people of Baltimore, I wouldn't go jumping up and down, getting all excited. I would just go about my business."

But mayor William Donald Schaefer said he considered the latest bid "a very hot deal," and reiterated that under an agreement with Hoffberger, a Schaefer-organized group would have a chance to match any solid offer from out-of-town buyers.

At the same time, the mayor admitted that those to whom he had talked are not organized, and added that he couldn't present buyers now who would match a reported $12 million offer from Simon.

Simon's group is said to include Edward Bennett Williams, president and part-owner of the Washington Redskins' football team, and Robert Schulman, the Redskins' treasurer who serves as Simons's lawyer.



Head hoop fan

In world of his own, Philadelphia 76'er fan watches National Basketball Association game between his team and Indiana Pacers this week in Philadelphia. He cut a small slit in the seam to watch the action.

CAHA supports concept of all-female puck loops

WINNIPEG (CP) — The Canadian Amateur Hockey Association is sponsoring a low-key attempt to bring organized all-female hockey leagues into the fold.

The amateur hockey establishment has been under fire for its refusal to let girls on the same ice with boys.

Support of all-female teams may be a partial answer to complaints of discrimination, but even CAHA officials don't expect the move to silence all of its critics.

CAHA vice-president Frank McKinnon of Carman, Man., says he realizes some activists will not be satisfied with a "separate but equal" approach and will demand complete integration.

"I think there are some people—a small minority—who feel a woman will someday be playing pro hockey, or pro football for that matter . . . and they won't be satisified with anything less.

"But right now the majority of people are interested in the provision of a service."

Following a series of meetings with the federal government and representatives of Canadian women's hockey, the CAHA dropped the puck into the hands of provincial amateur associations.

It's now up to them to get together with local women's leagues and work out the details of future co-operative efforts.

Complaints of discrimination against female hockey players have received much publicity, and the battle for integrated teams has yet to be abandoned.

Gail Cummings, a Huntsville, Ont., girl denied the right to play on a boys' team, won support for her position from the Ontario Human Rights Commission, only to lose a later court case. The court ruling now is being appealed.

A similar complaint of discrimination has been put before the Manitoba Human Rights Commission by Susan Mauthe of Killarney, Man., who was ruled ineligible for amateur finals two years ago because of her sex.

The Manitoba commission is waiting for a final ruling in Ontario before taking any action.

Whether the goal is integrated hockey or separate women's teams, the basic problem remains the same—a marked lack of opportunity for girls to become involved in hockey as early as boys.

Joanne Cushnie, president of the Winnipeg Senior Women's Hockey League, says she didn't get her start in the game until she was in university.

In Manitoba and most other provinces, women's hockey leagues are not a dream but an established fact.

The women's league in Winnipeg, for example, has five playing and two exhibition teams with a total of more than 100 players.

Steps are being taken to organize a meeting early in the new year with representatives from all parts of the province.

"We're prepared to put forward our best effort," says MAHA president George Allard.

Santa Anita racing

ARCADIA, Calif. — Results of Thursday's thoroughbred racing at Santa Anita with entries for today:

FIRST RACE
Vananos (Ortega) $36.60 $11.20 $6.60
Promising Krisch (McHargue) 3.20 2.60
Grandaries (Cauthen) 3.00
Time 1:10.
Scratched — Chief Iowa, Party Guy, Perfect Gent, Eight N Change, Siraya.

SECOND RACE
Vikings Joy (Cordero Jr.) $27.40 $11.80 $7.60
Hello Hostess (Shoemaker) 6.60 5.00
Toot N Turn (Rosales) 13.60
Time 1:10.
Daily Double (5-4) paid $567.20
Scratched — B.B. Claim, Graia Suerte, Destinys Reward, Fleet Of All.

THIRD RACE
Floral Countess (Spencer) $151.60 $48.40 $16.40
Chatte Too (McCarron) 12.80 6.80
Superbe Affair (Cordero Jr.) 4.00
Time 1:11 2/5.
Scratched — Beba, Fric Frac, For The Money, Lottie L. Jeffers.

FOURTH RACE
Brilliant Ability (Pincay) $24.40 $8.80 $6.00
Pitman (McHargue) 4.40 3.40
Time 1:10 3/5.
Scratched — California Condor, Revision, Nodrog, Onesto.

FIFTH RACE
Rich Cream (Pierce) $74.20 $20.60 $16.00
Blondies Dancer (McHargue) 4.40 3.40
King Go Go (Pincay) 10.00
Time 1:42 3/5.
$5 Exacta (9-2) paid $863.00.
Scratched — Confab, Mike Fogarty, Four Striper, Top Taker.

SIXTH RACE
Infusive (Rodriguez) $13.20 $7.40 $4.80
Spartan Endurance (Campas) 12.00 7.60
Emperor Key (Castaneda) 4.20
Time 1:10.

SEVENTH RACE
Chocolate Only (Castaneda) $43.20 $10.60 $7.60
Fairy Dance (Shoemaker) 3.00 2.80
Sari's Tobin (Baltazar) 7.00
Time 1:16.
$5 Exacta (2-1) paid $295.50.

EIGHTH RACE
Kulak (Toro) $16.80 $5.00 $3.80
Noble Bronze (Moreno) 3.20 2.40
Kamehameha (Chapman) 3.00
Time 1:41 3/5.

NINTH RACE
Eagles Mate (McCarron) $18.40 $11.00 $6.40
Resilient (Olivares) 7.20 5.00
Progenerator (Sorenson) 7.60
Time 1:43 1/5.
$5 Exacta (5-4) paid $184.00.
Scratched — Small Island, Perilous Times, Stylish Greeter, Fleet Verdict.

Attendance — 27,245. Handle — $3,840,099.

Entries

FIRST RACE—$13,000 3&up f&m 6 fur
Midsummer Dream (Pincay) 16
Sister Glass (Shoemaker) 113
Sharacco (Toro) 114
Castel San (Mena) 113
X Convertible Bond (Sorenson) 108
Pagoiay (Czarnecki) 113
His Saguaw (McHargue) 113
Yeroc Hesak (Cauthen) 113
Oh You Kid (Castaneda) 113
X By All Logic (Rodriguez) 108
Caerphilly (Campas) 116
Lady Jest (Baltazar) 113
X Penny Aglo (Sorenson) 108
Northern Walk (Cordero Jr) 116
Destinys Reward (Cauthen) 113

SECOND RACE— $9,000 clmg 2yo m c&g 6 fur
Duna Driller (Chapman) 118
Kinetic Power (Howard) 115
Greville (Spencer) 115
Melscoff (Pincay) 118
Tellaround (McHargue) 118
Responsible (McCarron) 116
Don Your Silks (Grant) 118
Great Heavens (Mena) 118
Revision (Castaneda) 118
Prodigious (Olivares) 118
Its Only Money (Pierce) 118
Chief Kelley (Cordero Jr) 118
High Anxiety (Pincay) 118
Nodrog (Moreno) 115
X Bold Sensation (Rodriguez) 113
Noble Flight (Cauthen) 118

THIRD RACE—$10,000 clmg 2yo 1 1/16 mi
Blueberry Patch (Aguirre) 121
What A Metzia (Pierce) 116
Obedient Decision (Gonzalez) 116
Crawdaddy (Chapman) 116
Noors Dynasty (Ramirez) 121
Laughing Lark (Cauthen) 114
Rodson (Olivares) 116
Full Admiral (Shoemaker) 116

FOURTH RACE—$8,500 clmg 2yo mf 6 fur
Right Soon (Calva) 117
Lady Erne (Toro) 117
X Miss Windsong (Sorenson) 112
Face Value (Olivares) 117
Veras Lil Peg (Baltazar) 117
Flying Jen (McCarron) 117
Kara Dancer (Mena) 117
Go Power (McHargue) 117
Mesa Girl (Spencer) 117
Frankly Fickle (Shoemaker) 117
Princess Tout (Moreno) 117
Tawny Pippet (Pincay) 117
Doctor Quincy (Cordero Jr) 117
Miss Kfar (Olivares) 117
Vegas Bar Maid (Campas) 117
Goli Honey (Czarnecki) 117

FIFTH RACE $14,000 alw 3&up 1 1/8 mi
Valetchka (McCarron) 114
Brown Eyes (Shoemaker) 114
Kai Mata (Frazier) 114
Malone (Pierce) 113
Royal Refla (McHargue) 114
Brilliant Protege (Cordero Jr) 116
As De Espadas (Toro) 114
Ackcelsior (Olivares) 113
Equa (Grant) 117
X King Steven (Sorenson) 111
Proofread (Castaneda) 113
Khalmart (Baltazar) 113
Alohawai (Moreno) 113
Gay Ripple (McHargue) 113

SIXTH RACE $12,000 wdns 3&up f&m 6 fur
Youre So Vain (Castaneda) 117
X Fortunata Mia (Chiang) 112
X Congo Tactics (Sorenson) 112
A-High Renaissance (Cauthen) 117
X Nice Honor (Dorigquez) 112
Racing Lady (Mena) 117
Felida (Baltazar) 117
Planning (Pincay) 117
Bit of Stakes (Moreno) 117
B-Julies Intent (McHargue) 117
Memory Garden (McCarron) 117
Dona Ysidra (Shoemaker) 117
A-Marlborough Set (Cauthen) 117
B-Neva D. (McHargue) 117
A-Entry, B-Entry

SEVENTH RACE $14,000 alw 3&up f&m 6 fur
Feather Bow (Shoemaker) 114
Bag of Spooks (Diaz) 113
Catcando (Castaneda) 114
Terrestos Dream (McHargue) 113
Melissas Pet (Campas) 119
Bidding Bold (Pincay) 115
French Mousse (Mena) 113
Enigmatical (Pierce) 114
Equile (Cauthen) 113

EIGHTH RACE $25,000 alw 3&up 6 fur
Drapier (Toro) 120
Baldski (Pincay) 114
Painted Wagon (Shoemaker) 114
Tampoy (Castaneda) 113
X Henschel (Rodriguez) 109
Fashion Lad (Baltazar) 118
Juan Don (Lipham) 114
Thermal Energy (McCarron) 114
Protocol (Cordero Jr) 120
Prince Of Saron (Pierce) 120
Voy Por Uno (Cauthen) 114
Back Bay Beat (McHargue) 114
Decoded (McCarron) 118

NINTH RACE $13,000 alw 3&up 1 1/8 mi
Defiantly (Pincay) 112
A-Gran Raul (Olivares) 14
Rana (Cauthen) 112
Close To Noon (Cordero Jr) 114
Bragado (Shoemaker) 114
Shawnee Prophet (Castaneda) 114
Cross (Aguirre) 117
Smoky Isle (Toro) 112
Aquidon (Mena) 112
A-Maco (Valenzuela) 114
A-Entry
X Apprentice Allowance

SELECTIONS
1. Castel San, Lady Jest, His Squaw.
2. Great Heavens, High Anxiety, Revision.
3. Crawdaddy, Blueberry Patch, Rodson.
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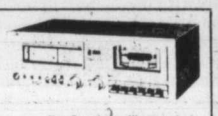

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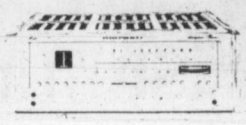

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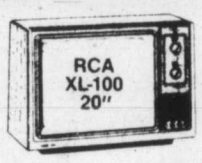

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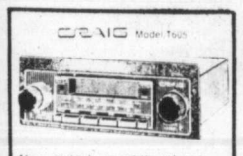

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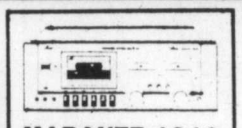

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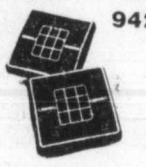

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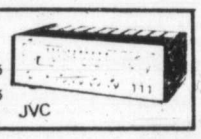

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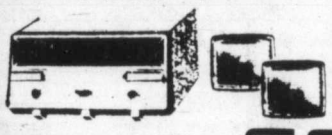

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M. V. Chesnut's Garden Notes

A week or so ago, I promised to do a series of articles on the care of Christmas gift potted plants, slanted especially toward those folks who have had little or no experience in looking after houseplants.

In keeping with this promise, I thought we might kick off the series with the care of the poinsettia, unquestionably the most popular of our gift plants.

This flower, which has become as much a symbol of Christmas as holly and the fir tree, was found originally growing wild in Central America, in that section of Mexico where the southern tip of Yucatan touches Guatemala and British Honduras, now known as Belize.

In nature, it is a somewhat weedy roadside shrub 10 feet or more tall, and in those tropical latitudes where night and day are almost equal in duration, it is not a Christmas bloomer but comes into flower in February or early March. It takes its name from Dr. Joel Poinsett, a physician and politician from Charleston, South Carolina.

Poinsett, at one time U.S. ambassador to Mexico, brought home a number of these plants, but later sold his collection to Robert Buist, a Scottish nurseryman of Philadelphia.

Buist grew the new tropical plants in his greenhouses as interesting novelties, never dreaming they would make him a very wealthy man.

In the growing, he made an amazing discovery: The farther north they were grown, the earlier they would come into bloom, and in latitudes north of Philadelphia, where winter nights are long and days are short, their blooms reach ther peak during the Christmas season.

This was a most fortunate combination; a potted plant which would bloom naturally in time for the Christmas trade, and moreover, would bloom in the Christmas colors of scarlet and green.

Robert Buist made a sizeable fortune supplying cuttings to florists all over Europe and America, and since that time, a number of new dwarf varieties have been bred, particularly the Mikkleson and the Mikkleson-Rochford Hybrids, and they come nowadays in pink, orange, cream and ivory as well as scarlet.

Your gift poinsettia prefers a sunny window and a temperature range not lower than 16 degrees by night and not much higher than 22 by day. A common cause of leaf-dropping is too great a drop in temperature at night, so it is wise to move your plant back into the room and away from the window overnight to avoid chilling. This sensitivity to chilling shows up in the watering, too, and very cold water will sometimes cause the leaves and colored bracts to fall.

Wait until the soil surface feels dry to the touch, then give enough lukewarm water to moisten the soil throughout. Any water draining into the saucer should be emptied promptly.

The colored bracts — which look like flower petals — will probably start falling in any case around the end of February. This is the plant's resting period, and when it happens, move it to a cool, light basement and reduce watering until it is almost bone dry.

Since the poinsettia, growing unchecked, is capable of reaching 10 feet in height, it must be pruned drastically to restrain it to houseplant size. Prune in April, cutting all stems back to three-inch stubs. The prunings may be cut up into six-inch lengths and used as slips to start more plants.

Rub a little powdered charcoal into the cut surfaces to control bleeding, and treat the milky sap with some respect, for it is acrid and irritation and can cause intense pain if it gets into the eyes or mouth or open wound.

After pruning, repot your plant into fresh soil, water sparingly and bring to a sunny but cool window. When new shoots sprout from the stubs, thin these out to a total of three or four, otherwise your plant will become too bushy and congested.

In June, sink the pot up to its rim in the outdoor garden, morning sun only, and keep it watered and fed through the summer.

The most critical part of the culture — and where most folks go wrong — is when the plant is brought indoors in the fall.

Remember Robert Buist's discovery that the poinsettia will bloom in time for Christmas ONLY when the days are short and the nights are long. During the late autumn it is MOST important to give your plant 12 to 14 hours of total, unbroken darkness every night, starting around Oct. 10.

Your plant will need plenty of sunshine by day, but keep it in a room where the lights are never turned on — even momentarily — after the sun sets, for this would create an artificially long day, which in turn would delay blooming.

Art Buchwald

WASHINGTON — Everyone is mad at the OPEC nations for raising the price of oil by 14½ per cent. They also seem to be madder at the Arab countries than the other members of OPEC. My theory on this is that every time the photographers take photos of the oil ministers, the Arab ones stand out because they are dressed in their burnooses, while the other OPEC representatives fade into the background in their English-tailored suits.

I, for one, think the OPEC people made a serious mistake in raising the price of their oil. The reason they gave was that the dollar had been so weakened by inflation that they were losing money. What they didn't say was one of the major reasons for the dollar sagging was the price they put on their oil in the first place.

Since the OPEC nations have accumulated most of the dollars in the world, it would have been in their interests to cut the price of oil by 14½ per cent rather than raise it. This would have sent the value of the dollar to new heights, and wrecked the Japanese yen, the German mark, and the Sri Lankan rupee.

The new price raise just cooked up in Abu Dhabi will not solve the dollar problem, but exacerbate it, and in a year the OPEC countries will be complaining again how their dollars are being blown away by the winds of inflation.

I wish I could only blame OPEC and the Arabs in OPEC for all our problems. But I just talked to an economist who said the cost of fuel, while it starts with the OPEC countries, goes through many stages.

"When the cost of crude oil is raised," he told me, "everyone gets in the act. Let's say that the OPEC chaps add three cents to the price of a gallon in Abu Dhabi.

"The 'Seven Sister' oil companies at the Petroleum Club in Houston say to each other, 'Hey, since the OPEC ministers' have raised the price three cents, this is a good chance for us to raise it two cents more. The consumer will blame the Arabs and we'll be let off scot-free.'

"So now we have five cents added to the gallon. But the people who transport oil in tankers, railroad cars and trucks accidentally run into each other in a diner outside of Chicago and say, 'Did you see what they did in Abu Dhabi? Upped the price of fuel three cents.' And someone else says, 'And the folks in Houson met their three cents and raised them two. I say we should add another cent on for transportation. If we don't do it now we may never get a chance until the next OPEC meeting.'

"So now we're talking about a six-cent raise," my economist friend continued. "The refiner adds another cent for unleaded, and the oil company sales departments add a cent for good luck.

"The advertising departments tell management they're going to need another two cents a gallon to sponsor more good shows on public television, so the people who have to pay an additional 10 cents a gallon will think nice things about oil companies."

"Then what you're saying is, the only thing we can hope to get out of the OPEC meeting in Abu Dhabi is another TV series like *Upstairs, Downstairs?*"

"You got it."

"Is there any hope that the price of oil will ever go down?"

"Only if they discover a lot of it off the coast of New Jersey."

"That would be awful."

"Why do you say that?"

"Well, it's one thing to kiss the hem of an Arab's burnoose in Saudi Arabia — but it's another to kiss one worn by a person who comes from New Jersey."

Sydney Harris

One of my children, taking a Shakespeare course, asked me how Hamlet in his famous soliloquy, could speak about "that undiscovered country from whose bourne no traveler returns," meaning death, when Hamlet had just finished conversing with the Ghost of his Father, who presumably had returned from that country.

I was compelled to reply that while accuracy and consistency are admirable — indeed, indispensable — traits in an accountant or a lawyer of a logician, they are not the things to look for in a work of creative imagination.

Shakepeare, possessing the greatest creative imagination of all, paid the least attention to these mundane virtues; he used whatever fit his purpose, whether it was factual or not, for the effect it produced. He compressed time and space, juggled events, changed historical figures into exemplary ones, and paid little attention to the conventions of stage reality.

He give Bohemia a seacoast, quotes Aristotle in the Trojan War, puts clocks in ancient Rome, and places turkeys on a dinner table a hundred years before they were introduced from America. Ghosts, witches and fairies are as instrumental to his art as soldiers, innkeepers, and shepherds.

Indeed, it is precisely when he is forced to follow the bald facts of history, or the conventions of his society, that he shows up at his weakest — as in Hector's noble speech opposing the Trojan War, and then reversing his position for no good reason except that the war did historically drag on for a decade.

Poets and seers and visionaries point to the truths above and beyond the brute facts of history, just as they penetrate deeply beneath the conscious motivations and rationalizations of men. *What* actually happened is less important to them than *why* it happened, and how it is likely to happen again if we ignore their insights.

The witches in *Macbeth* are merely ludicrous or repellent today — unless we understand that they prefigure the "unconscious" of Freud: that they represent the internal demonic forces driving Macbeth to evil and ultimately to destruction. If you know your *Macbeth* you could see the same tortured strivings in a Richard Nixon early on.

It was Aristotle who said, in distinction to Plato, that the poets write truer history than the historians. Historians can tell us when clocks first chimed in Rome, but poets know best for whom the bell tolls, and why time is running out on our dearest fantasies and our quaintest conceits.

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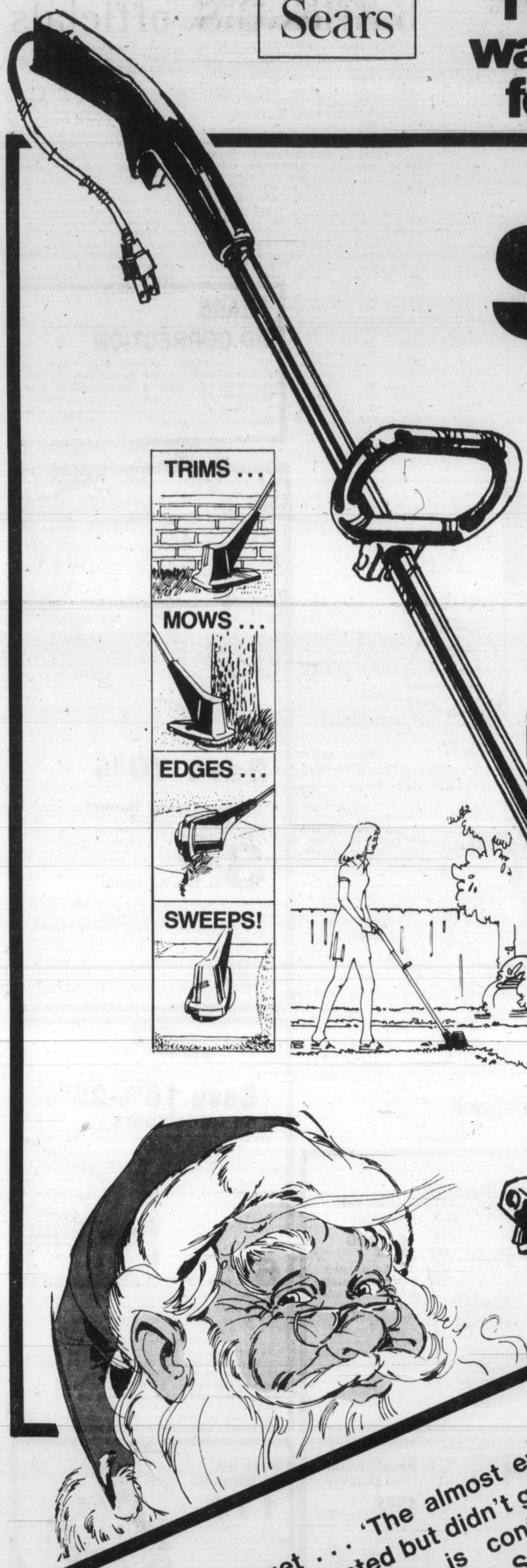

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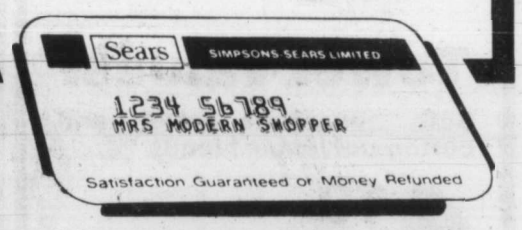

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The mass demonstrations continued for a second day. Some protesters among an estimated 10,000 outside the foreign ministry dumped mounds of peanuts on the street and smashed them with their feet, shouting, "This is Carter!"

In another protest, a taxi driver poured gasoline over himself inside his cab and then set fire to it.

"Long live the Republic of China!" the man screamed as his body was engulfed in flames. Bystanders pulled him from the burning vehicle while some in the crowd applauded and calmly sang the patriotic song I Love China. The 40-year-old man was later reported in serious condition in a local hospital.

As a result of the melee, the U.S.-Taiwanese talks on the break in relations were shifted from the foreign ministry to the Grand Hotel, eight kilometres away.

The meetings, meant to clarify the effect of Carter's decision and smooth the transition process, were almost cancelled after the motorcade carrying U.S. Ambassador Leonard Unger and Deputy State Secretary Warren Christopher was hit by a barrage of eggs, mud and tomatoes shortly after their arrival Wednesday night.

Unger and Christopher suffered slight cuts from flying glass after their windshield was smashed, officials said.

The discussions resumed after President Chiang Ching-kuo gave Christopher personal assurances that his delegation of military men and diplomats would be protected against violence.

No demonstrators were at the heavily-guarded hotel, where Thursday's talks lasted three hours. A second session was scheduled for this morning and the delegation was to depart later today.

U.S. spokesman Jack Cannon said Taiwan Foreign Minister Tsiang Yen-chi began Thursday's session by expressing his "deep and sincere regret" over the violent reception.

Then, in a quick change of tone, Tsiang expressed his government's formal protest, saying the United States did not have "any justifiable cause at all to unilaterally announce its intention to terminate the defence treaty which, as you know, is a treaty of alliance."

U.S.-Taiwanese diplomatic relations will formally end next Monday, Jan. 1.

Congress can't block new links with China

WASHINGTON (AP)—A U.S. House of Representatives committee chairman contends there is little Congress can do to block President Carter's new China policy, and suggests that critics concentrate instead on doing the best they can for Taiwan under the circumstances.

Representative Clement Zablocki, Wisconsin Democrat and chairman of the House international relations committee, said, "We're going to see what we can do to salvage what the president has done. I think there are a few in Congress who are going to be hell-bent against it, but I'm not in that group."

Zablocki's decision not to try to reverse Carter's decision came following an announcement by Senator Frank Church, Idaho Democrat, that he supported Carter's action.

Because Church is the incoming chairman of the foreign relations committee, his stance, and that of Zablocki, seem to indicate the administration's China policy would have little difficulty surviving challenges.

On Dec. 15, Carter announced that the United States was switching its formal recognition from Taiwan to the People's Republic of China on the mainland, effective Jan. 1.

Late last week, Senator Barry Goldwater, Arizona Replublican, filed suit in U.S. District Court here in an effort to nullify the president's companion decision to terminate the nearly quarter-century-old U.S. defence treaty with Taiwan, unless Congress concurred.

Zablocki said he doubted the Goldwater effort would succeed. The congressman said he believed the most Congress could do about Carter's China initiatives was approve non-binding resolutions expressing its displeasure.

Soviet S.A.L.T. shift baffles U.S. officials

WASHINGTON (AP)—U.S. arms control officials say they do not know why the Soviet Union raised last-minute issues involving cruise missiles that prevented completion of a new strategic arms limitation agreement last week.

The answer, when it becomes known, is likely to indicate whether there will be a quick resolution of differences or more rounds of S.A.L.T. negotiations.

The officials, who asked not to be named, said the Soviets waited until Saturday morning's negotiating session in Geneva to make several requests, most notably that the proposed treaty contain a ban on multiple warheads on cruise missiles.

The American cruise missile, which the proposed treaty would allow, is a highly accurate, nuclear-armed drone launched from a bomber. It now has only one warhead.

American officials said Thursday that current planning called for development of multiple warheads on the cruise missile, such as were carried by land-based Minuteman missiles. The multiple warheads could not, however, be deployed by 1985, the expiry date of the proposed treaty.

That being the case, these officials said they were surprised when the issue was raised. They had thought that all basic, unresolved issues had been taken care of last Friday afternoon.

The Americans rejected the Soviet request, the officials said, because they did not want to set a precedent restricting the cruise missile to one warhead, a provision the Soviets would insist on carrying over to a S.A.L.T. III agreement.

Thus, negotiations between U.S. Secretary of State Cyrus Vance and Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko broke off. Talks resumed at a lower level in Geneva this week between technical experts on both sides.

Some officials believe the cruise missile issue was raised as a ploy to delay completion of a treaty, brought on by Soviet uneasiness about normalization of relations between the United States and China.

SEARS AD CORRECTION

An error appeared in Sears 'Wrap it up early' circular delivered to your home in Dec. 19 Colonist/Times. On page 9, the 'Kenwood Chef' mincer, 34R 072 720 was incorrectly described as a mixer. Our apologies for any inconvenience this error may have caused.

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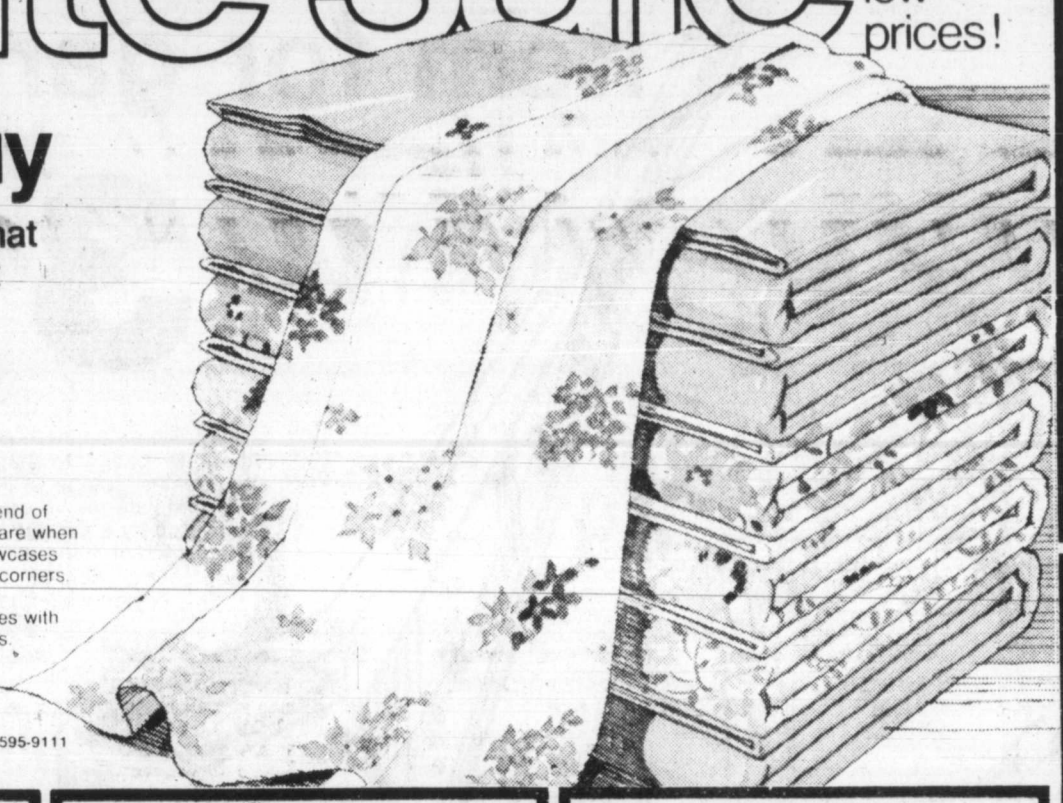

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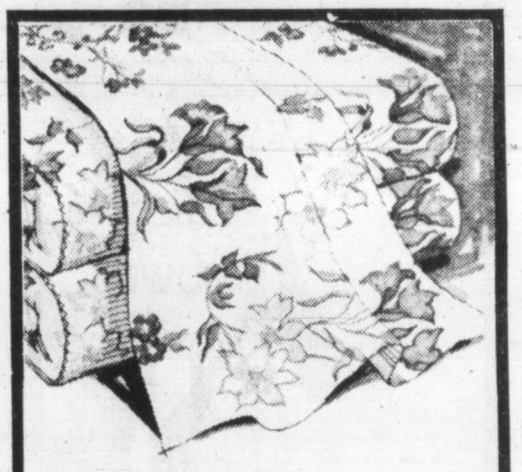

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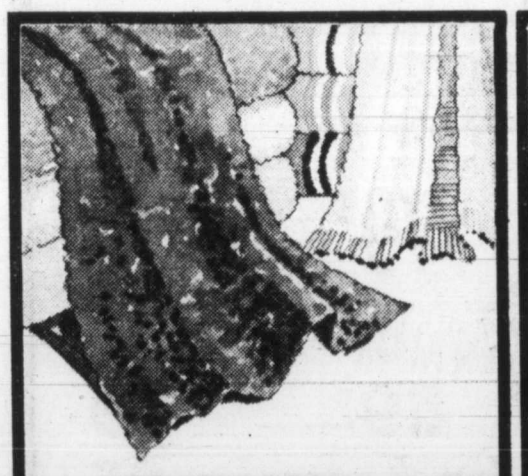

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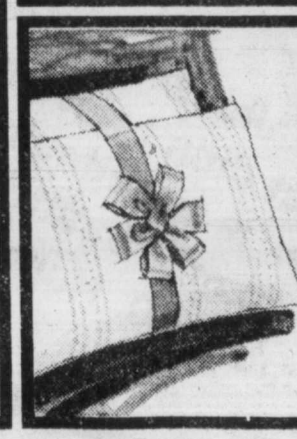

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Prince Charles
. . .waiting in wings

Britain speculates on monarchy

LONDON (CP) — Queen Elizabeth, resplendent in ball gown and jewels, fends off her oldest boy with one hand while clutching the state crown with the other.

"No, Charles—you can't have it for your birthday."

It's a cartoon, of course, but—as 1979 dawns—it touches on two points of concern in Britain—the Crown and who shall wear it, and who shall become the next Queen of England.

As 1978 drew to a close, Britons were speculating on how long the middle-aged Queen would keep the Prince of Wales waiting in the wings?

They were speculating also—and Britons take these things seriously—as to whom Prince Charles Philip Arthur George would marry.

Prince Charles turned 30 just as a weary 1978 was winding down and his words of a couple of years back, that "30 would be a good age to marry" were coming back to haunt him.

However, if there are serious prospects in sight, it isn't apparent to the naked eye.

Possibly never before has Britain been so royalty-conscious.

First, there was a television series on the life of King Edward VII, kept remote from royal functions by his mother, Queen Victoria, until he ascended to the throne at age 59, upon her death.

Then there was another television series on the life of Lillie Langtry, the actress with whom the same Edward, as Prince of Wales, dallied.

This was followed by a third series, and a controversial one at that, in which yet another Prince of Wales fell in love with a United States divorcee and, as King Edward VIII, gave up his throne to wed her.

Princess Margaret, the Queen's sister, was quietly divorced in a 30-second ceremony during 1978.

Prince Michael of Kent wed his beloved, Baroness Marie-Christine von Reibnitz in a civil ceremony. Pope Paul refused to allow them to wed in a Roman Catholic church. The new princess had been married before and Prince Michael had made it clear that any children would be brought up in the Anglican faith.

Prince Charles was bitter over the ruling.

Queen Mother Elizabeth, one of the most loved of the royals, was named Lord Warden of the Cinque Ports, the first woman to hold the position.

Prince Andrew, the Queen's second son who became a favorite of Canadians during his period in school there, announced that he wants to become a Royal Navy pilot.

Princess Margaret and the Queen's daughter, Princess Anne, took a roasting in a poll conducted by *Woman Magazine*.

Margaret was judged not hard-working. Anne was labelled "unfriendly and arrogant."

More than 80 per cent of those interviewed in a poll approved of royalty as a whole, although the consensus was that there are too many of them and they are too rich.

They should all move into Buckingham Palace with the Queen and Prince Philip and flog the rest of the palaces to rich Americans, the survey was told.

Bulletin Board

OAP No. 1 executive meeting for Monday, Jan. 1, cancelled. General meeting at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 2, at hall, 1600 Government.

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Y FAMILY AFFAIR
Free New Year's Day Family Affair from 1 p.m. Monday, Jan. 1, sponsored by the YM-YWCA. Agenda: 1 p.m., meet at the Y, 880 Courtney; 1-2 p.m., walk-jog through Beacon Hill Park to Clover Point, where a giant earth ball will be found and pushed back to the Y; refreshments for participants at Y; 2-4 p.m., swim, sauna or steam bath at the Y. Also, door prizes will be awarded.

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PENSIONERS MEET
Garden City Pensioners meet at 1 p.m. Tuesday in Centennial United Church Hall, 649 Gorge Road East.

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FOSTER PARENT INFO
Ministry of Human Resources will hold a foster information night at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Jan. 3, at 1627 Fort Street.

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Makeup overstated

PARIS (CP) — Recent spring-summer fashions shown here have a dramatically different approach to makeup. Overstated and more obvious than before, makeup emphasizes bone structure. Cheekbones are high and bright pink; eyes are elongated and catlike, while lips continue to be the focal point of intense color.

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Beef costliest item on '79 list

Lid to tighten on food prices

TORONTO (CP) — Canadians can look forward to a less startling food price picture in 1979, after a year that saw a 17-per-cent increase, say food industry experts.

They say prices will rise, but at a slower rate — about eight to 10 per cent. Most of the increase will be caused by beef prices, expected to increase by another 10 to 15 per cent in 1979.

Don Tigert, a financial analyst with Burns-Fry Ltd. and considered an expert on trends in the retail food industry, predicts the trend in 1979 will be toward bigger and better stores.

He also predicts the price of packaged groceries will rise 8.5 to 11 per cent next year.

He said intense competition among supermarkets will show up in greater expansion, particularly of the huge, super-combination stores designed to increase business volume with a lesser increase in labor costs.

He said the movement toward no-frill or discount stores will continue.

Tigert does not foresee a price war among supermarket chains next year.

However, he feels that as smaller, older stores begin to hurt from the increased competition of the big, new stores, they may fight back with lowered prices.

Economists with Agriculture Canada say that not only will beef prices rise 10 to 15 per cent above the 11-per-cent jump of 1978, but lower grades of beef such as hamburger will increase in price faster than other grades. This will be due to increased consumer demand and a five- to 10-per-cent reduction in beef production.

They say regular hamburger, now about $1.50 a pound, may go as high as $2 by the end of 1979.

As beef prices continue to in-

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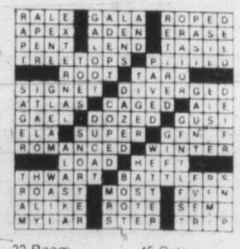

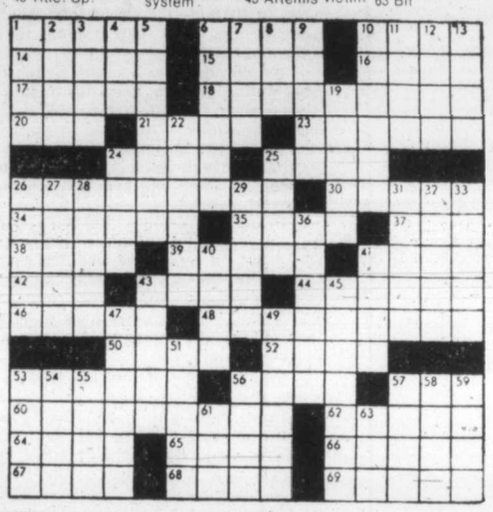

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ANN LANDERS

Dear Ann Landers: Today it happened again and I am very annoyed. You made reference to a letter I know nothing about.

Your column is such an important part of my reading habit that when my husband and I go out of town for a few days, I ask my sister-in-law to clip it for me.

Please explain. I am — **Baffled in Los Angeles**

Dear Baff: Some papers do not print my entire column. They drop a letter or two because they are short of space. Of course, I am not happy about being cut, but there is nothing I can do. I only work here.

Some papers print every word I write because the top banana has made it clear that when space is short, something else is to be cut and Ann Landers is to be left alone.

If you want to make sure you get every word I write, subscribe to the *Chicago Sun-Times* or the *New York Daily News*. They never cut a word. (P.S. The papers that cut me will, of course, kill this letter and you'll never see it. I can't win!)

Dear Ann Landers: My wife divorced me four years ago. She married shortly after. (Very shortly.)

Our daughter is getting married after the first of the year. She wrote to you a few weeks ago and inquired if she should ask me to walk her down the aisle. You said yes, seeing as how I raised her and I am also paying for the wedding.

I was very pleased with your response.

Now my ex-wife tells me I am not invited to stay for the dinner because her husband is coming for that and it would be embarrassing. More advice, Ann, please, please. — **Feeling Pushed Around.**

Dear Feeling: Tell your ex-wife you don't need an invitation to stay for the dinner. You're the host.

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Although zinc is present only in very small amounts, it is in most foods, and any diet with sufficient protein provides the needed amount. In fact, your friend is getting more than required so long as he is eating reasonably well. There is such a thing as poisoning from too much of these so-called "trace elements." My advice is to forget about supplements unless a doctor tells you you need them. You can pass this advice on to your friend, too.

Dear Dr. Ruble: My daughter had her first period. Is it true that a girl can have this beginning period and not be ovulating? — **H.D.**

The fact is that most girls are not ovulating at the time they have their first period. Some are before. She should be told she can become pregnant at anytime from now on (which will answer Miss G.S.'s question in another letter).

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"Man is not the creature of circumstances. Circumstances are the creatures of man." – Benjamin Disraeli.

In today's ambitious slam, success appears to depend upon a simple 50-50 finesse. Actually, there is a little more to it than just a finesse; declarer must make the right choice in selecting the suit in which to try the finesse.

South bid more than he was actually looking at, but that is nothing unusual. South was behind on the score and he felt he needed some luck to turn the day around.

The first trick was won by dummy's spade ace and dummy's spade king provided a discard for declarer's heart loser. Now the slam depended only upon a little luck.

Declarer led a diamond and lost his finesse and it was time for the moans and groans. West exited with his third spade and eventually East took a club trick for down one.

"I should have known I couldn't make a slam with my bad luck," lamented South. "All I needed was for the diamond finesse to win."

"Luck had nothing to do with it," countered North. "Actually, all the luck was on our side. You just didn't take advantage of it."

North was right, of course, but how does declarer make the winning guess?

If he takes the club finesse and it wins, the hand is over. The defense gets a diamond, but declarer has his 12 tricks.

If he takes the diamond finesse and it wins, that's not all there is to do. East's king must also fall on the second trump lead so the club finesse is clearly the superior play.

NORTH 12-23-A
♠ A K 7
♥ 10 8 7 6 3
♦ 5
♣ 10 8 5 2

WEST
♠ 5 4 2
♥ J 5
♦ K 7 2
♣ 9 7 6 4 3

EAST
♠ Q J 10 9 8 3
♥ Q 9 2
♦ 6 4
♣ K J

SOUTH
♠ 6
♥ A K 4
♦ A Q J 10 9 8 3
♣ A Q

Vulnerable: North-South. Dealer: North. The bidding:

North	East	South	West
Pass	2 ♠	Dbl.	Pass
3 ♥	Pass	3 ♠	Pass
3 NT	Pass	6 ♦	All pass

Opening lead: Spade deuce.

Bid with Corn

South holds: 12-23-B

♠ 6
♥ A K 4
♦ A Q J 10 9 8 3
♣ A Q

South	North
2 ♠	2 ♥
3 ♥	4 ♦
4 NT	5 ♦
5 NT	5 ♠
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ANSWER: Seven no trump. If you play in seven diamonds, the honor bonus will yield 20 points more than playing in no trump. However, why risk an unlucky first round ruff for 20 extra points?

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Doukhobor arsonists jailed

Women strip naked in protest

By DAMIAN INWOOD
of The Edmonton Journal

NELSON, B.C. (CP) — Before a packed courtroom listening to the sentence of a county court judge, the five women in the prisoner's dock wept and stripped themselves naked.

They were joined by about a dozen of the audience.

Mary Braun, Olga Hoodichoff, Pauline Berikoff, and Marilyn and Naida Stoochnoff, all convicted of arson, wept and leaned over the prisoners' dock to hug relatives here Wednesday before being carried bodily out of the courtroom to serve jail terms of up to two years less a day.

Once again the members of the radical Sons of Freedom Doukhobors sect had acted out the bizarre ritual that has become almost commonplace in this West Kootenay community.

But the futility of the scene was spelled out by a sobbing Marilyn Stoochnoff, one of the accused facing nine months in jail.

"This is not the answer," she pleaded.

"We have watched our parents go through this and our children must watch us. When will it all end?"

The crowd, some stripping off their clothes in sympathy, had earlier sung hymns praising God in Russian. Later, sons led their weeping mothers away.

"Don't hurt them," one cried out as court staff carried the still-naked women in their chairs to police cars waiting outside in minus-13-degree weather.

The court was jammed with about 100 relatives and friends as the sentencing started. The five women had arrived, one in custody and already naked, to face charges of arson and conspiracy to commit arson in the May 19 attempt to burn the home of their leader, Stefan Sorokin.

It was a case marked by evidence of buildings being put to the torch and threats of a curse that would last to the seventh generation.

The five women told court they acted under threat of the seven-generation curse by Orthodox Doukhobor leader John J. Verigin, a holder of the Order of Canada, who was charged Dec. 19 with conspiracy to commit arson. He was remanded to Jan. 8.

During the trial, the five had accused Verigin of ordering the burning of his rival's home, as well as several buildings belonging to his own sect.

Only the eldest of the women, Mary Braun, who was sentenced to two years less a day in jail, was naked during the hearing. The other four, all in their 30s, wore head scarves and coats.

But as soon as Kamloops Judge D. M. McDonald sentenced them to nine months in jail, the other accused began to undress.

Looking at the elderly men and women in the public gallery it was difficult to picture them as members of a sect blamed for bombings and arson in the mountain valley of southeastern B.C. for more than half a century.

McDonald said he faced a difficult task in deciding how to deal with the women.

Speaking through a Russian interpreter, he told them that while he accepted their evidence of the Verigin curse, other Doukhobors had to be protected.

"Citizens are entitled and must be protected from those who would burn down their homes," he said.

"The fact that these women are not criminals in the accepted sense—they are deeply religious people—cannot constitute an excuse for acts of arson."

When the case ended, six older women staged a nude sit-in in the public gallery. They refused to move and were carried bodily by sheriffs and police who dumped them unceremoniously on the icy sidewalks.

'Meeting of minds' in Caribbean cottage

RUNAWAY BAY (CP)—Showing signs of good humor, leaders of seven countries sat amid beautiful Jamaican scenery Thursday and discussed the question of how to give the world a new and better economic order.

Prime Minister Trudeau and six other leaders sat around a table in a cottage overlooking the Caribbean to discuss one of the toughest issues to plague world statesmen.

It was an exchange of views between leaders from both sides of the economic fence and from many parts of the world.

Jamaicans, who are making much of the meeting, cancelled a noon press briefing, apparently because there was nothing to report.

Jamaica's Prime Minister Michael Manley was to brief reporters later in the day.

Trudeau is here with Manley, Helmut Schmidt of West Germany, Gen. Olusegun Obsanjo of Nigeria, Carlos Andres Perez of Venezuela, Odvar Nordli of Norway and Malcolm Fraser of Australia.

Those who sat outside the conference in the cottage above this seaside resort reported they heard laughter within and said at times leaders appeared light-hearted.

The cottage was heavily guarded by army patrols and police with dogs, in addition to the personal security guards of some of the leaders, notably Perez.

The leaders had arrived at the cottage through a horde of reporters and cameras. Trudeau was clad in sandals, slacks and an open blue shirt with a rose.

It was announced in advance of the meeting that talks would be informal, that there would be no communique and little to report.

But that idea is slowly being eroded. Manley's briefing Thursday was a new development. And it was announced that all seven would be at a press briefing late today.

A new economic order would give the developing countries a greater share of the world's wealth. Finding a way to do this has been the object of the world's leaders for several years.

One of the most important components of that idea is a common fund designed to support commodity prices and thus protect the economies of countries depending on the export of these resources.

Fund negotiations between developed and underdeveloped countries are continuing and there is hope that agreement is close.

Schmidt called the conference a meeting of minds when he arrived Thursday, the idea being to clarify thoughts before February's meeting in Paris at which negotiations on the proposed common fund will be resumed.

Negotiations have been stalled on the question of who will pay for the stockpiles of vital commodities like sugar, cocoa, wheat and some metals.

With a common fund, money contributed by both producer and importer would be used to stockpile certain resources when prices dropped too low.

At the same time, some of the money would be used by developing countries to develop new resources.

There has been no agreement yet on who should contribute how much to the fund and what commodities should be covered by it.

In the past, Schmidt has had strong reservations about the fund, but countries such as Jamaica and Australia are in favor of it.

Canadians say a frank exchange of views in the informal setting of Runaway Bay may help bring the fund into being.

Hostage holder charged

BURNABY (CP)—A 22-year-old fugitive from the Washington state prison at Walla Walla was charged Thursday following a seven-hour hostage-taking incident Wednesday at the Lower Mainland Regional Correctional Centre (Oakalla).

Dewey Edward Sigo was charged with unlawful confinement and possession of a weapon dangerous to the public peace.

Elsie Wandless, 58, an immigration department employee, was released unharmed after she was grabbed by a man being interviewed by immigration officials. The man surrendered after talking to an RCMP negotiator.

Provincial Court

Judge Blake Allan imposed a 30-day jail term on a 20-year-old mother in Victoria provincial court Thursday for possession of cocaine while she was visiting the William Head medium-security prison this summer.

Diana Susan Derkson, of 2664 Blackwood, changed her plea of not guilty on the drug charge and on an Oct. 10 charge of shoplifting.

Crown counsel Derek Finall said the woman, a former cocktail waitress now on welfare, was at William Head in the early afternoon of July 15 to visit an inmate when a routine search of her purse produced a cigarette package containing a small amount of white powder, a one-sided razor blade and a narrow tube about three inches long.

Colwood RCMP were called and she admitted the powder was cocaine and that she was a user.

The shoplifting charge involved a pair of pants and a coaster set from the Bay.

Defence lawyer Robert Metzger asked for a fine instead of imprisonment because his client was separated and had custody of one of her two pre-school-age children.

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A 23-year-old woman who received $781 in Unemployment Insurance Commission benefits to which she wasn't entitled was fined a total of $300.

Elizabeth Morris, 1110 Hillside, pleaded guilty to four counts of making false statements in her claims for UIC benefits between July 17 and Aug. 28 of this year.

Crown counsel Harold Turnham told the court the woman began receiving UIC cheques in February but earned $1,012 from the Second Look Boutique during the period while stating she was earning no income.

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A 37-year-old man charged with fraud and attempted fraud in connection with six mutuel tickets at Sandown Park during the thoroughbred racing meet in Sidney pleaded not guilty to the charges.

James Edward McKenzie, of 1303 Gladstone, was charged with fraud on Nov. 10 and attempted fraud Nov. 11 and his trial was set for May 9.

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Fined for drinking-driving offences were: Richard Allan Hamilton, 28, of 1096 Clayton, $500; Russell Denhurst, 18, of 2603 Prior, $150; William Earl Hubbard, 24, of 189 Cadillac, $150; Harold Gabriel Pelkey, 18, of 2749 Mount Newton Cross Road, $150; Wesley Gordon Thomas, 33, of 1905 Eales, $150; Barry Robert Morgan, 19, of 2630 Quadra, $350; and Denis Joseph Bonin, 21, of 7840 Lochside, $200.

In addition, Pelkey was fined $100 for driving while under suspension and Bonin was ordered to perform 100 hours of community service work.

The B.C. Government Employees' Union starts its own "awareness" campaign today in Greater Victoria.

With more than one-third of the total civil service living in the area, the union's executive decided this was the ideal place to tell its story.

General secretary **John Fryer** said in an article in the latest issue of *The Provincial*, official publication of the union, that "people tend to take for granted the many services that our members provide, not only in Victoria, but in locations in every corner of the province."

The campaign will include newspaper and radio advertising, but will avoid TV.

Fryer said TV would not be used because Victoria didn't have studio facilities to produce commercials, "and it is not cost effective to have commercials produced elsewhere for the Victoria market."

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In the same issue of *The Provincial* there's an article on white and pink noise signed by **Dr. Jeanne Stellman**.

White and pink noises are the latest fad which, so their proponents say, cut down the noise of typewriters and telephones. You get a random sound which blocks out other sounds.

A scientific example would be when you get static on the radio which blocks out the music. One sound, in other words, replaces another. And Stellman isn't convinced that's a good idea.

She observes that in one published test, the white noise machine sellers note that the noise level in an executive office should be rated at 35 on the noise-factor scale. It also notes that at a 48 rating the white noise would be acceptable.

In a semi-private office the noise level should be 43, the unacceptable level 56.

And for secretarial areas the acceptable level is 63 while the unacceptable muttering of white noise can hit 70.

She suggests government offices consider the difference before ordering more white sound for open-space offices. She also suggests that public servants should not be the guinea pigs in sound experiments.

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There's a small porcelain trivet or wall plaque lying on the magazine table in the office of Provincial Secretary **Hugh Curtis**.

On the upper side it bears proudly the B.C. coat of arms. On the downside it carries two gold stickers. One announces that the nice little knick-knack comes from Pacific Rim Ceramic Products, custom design specialists, Vancouver.

The other, smaller sticker announces that the coat of arms was "made in Taiwan, Republic of China."

On the coffee table in the minister's main office there's another ceramic carrying on the one side an excellent engraving of the Legislative Buildings, on the other a little sticker which says "made in British Columbia."

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The biggest question at the Legislature in these between-festivities dog days is: "When will Tourism Minister **Elwood Veitch** pluck up courage to order *Beautiful British Columbia* to remove **Grace McCarthy's** photograph from the inside back cover and replace it with his own?"

Marion jury out

MONTREAL (CP)—The jury in the Charles Marion case today deliberates for the second day on whether Claude Valence is guilty in the 82-day kidnapping.

Just before the first day ended Thursday, the jury asked Mr. Justice Marc Beauregard to allow most of the 262 pieces of evidence tabled during the 13-week trial to be brought into the jury room.

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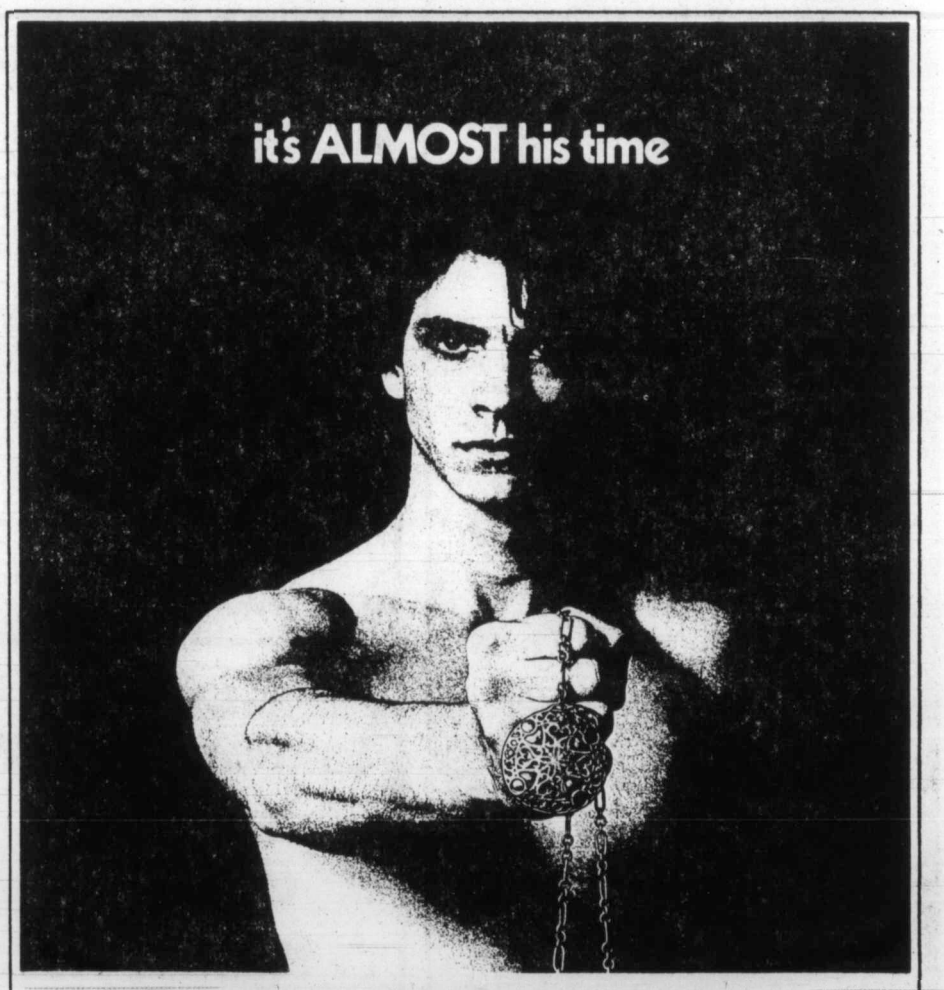

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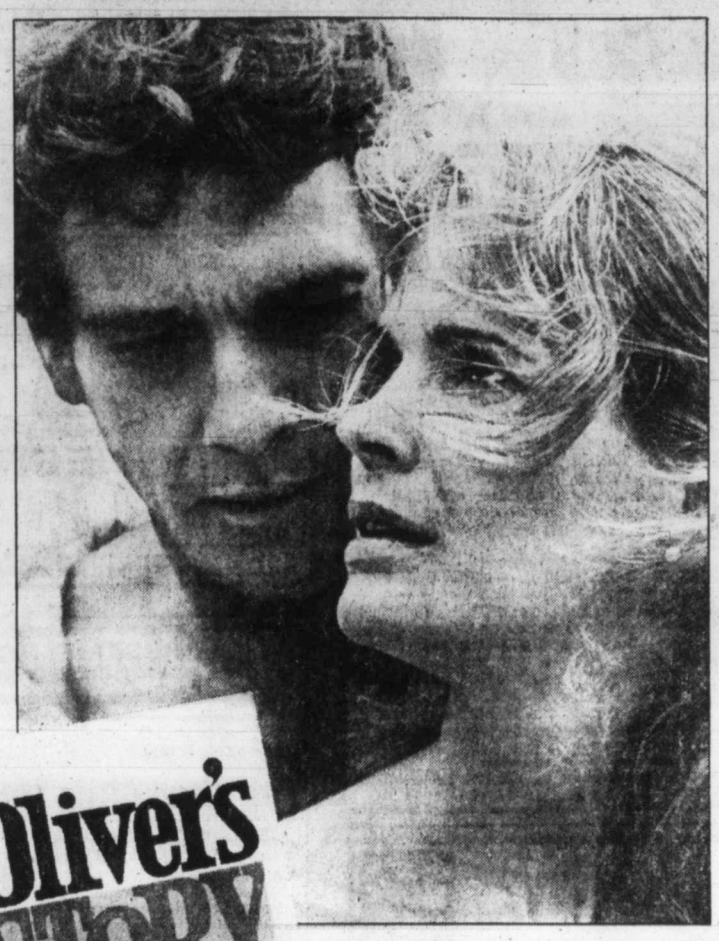

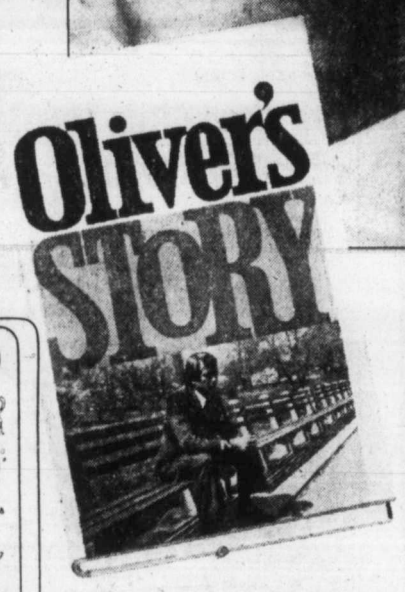

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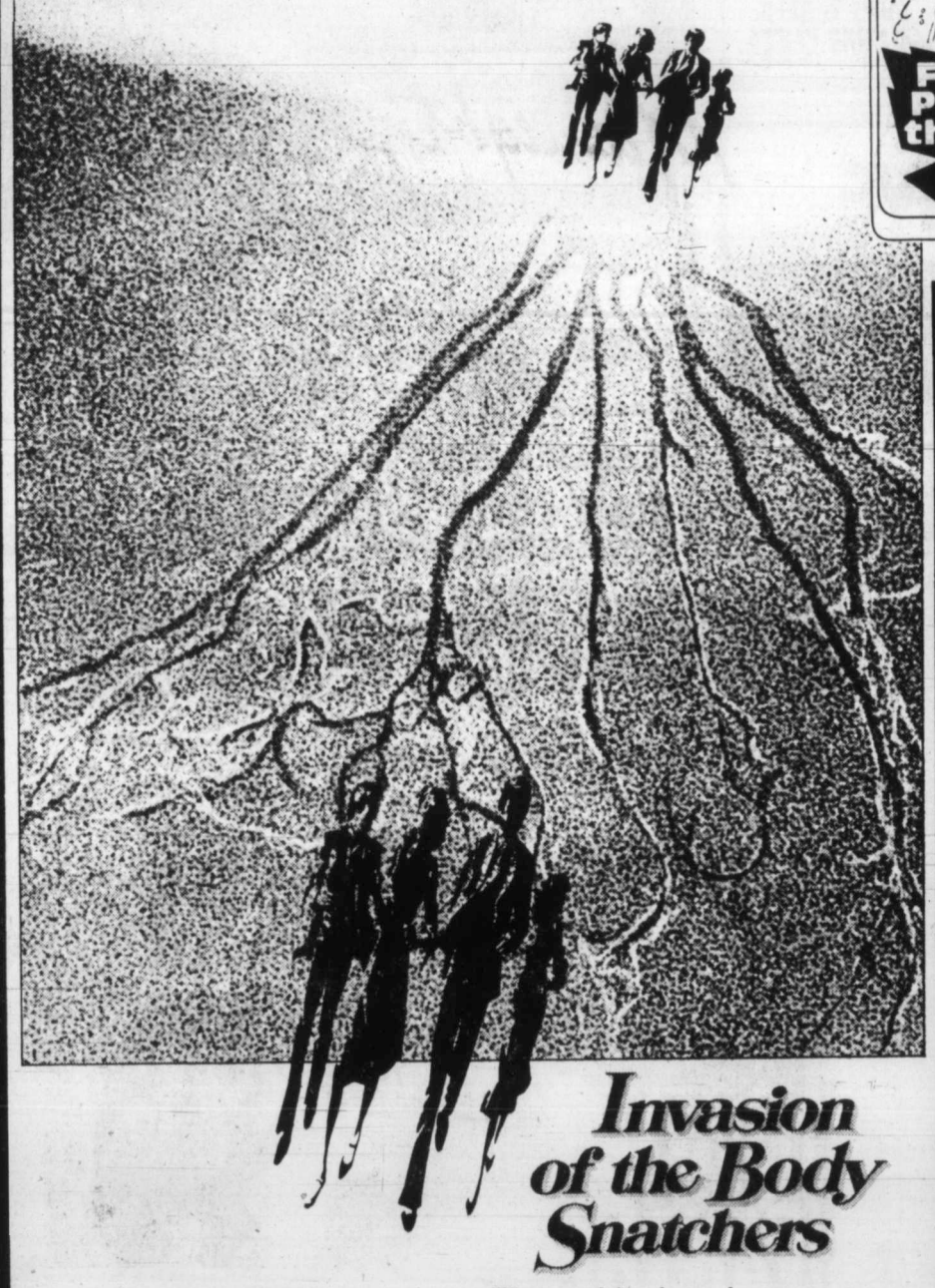

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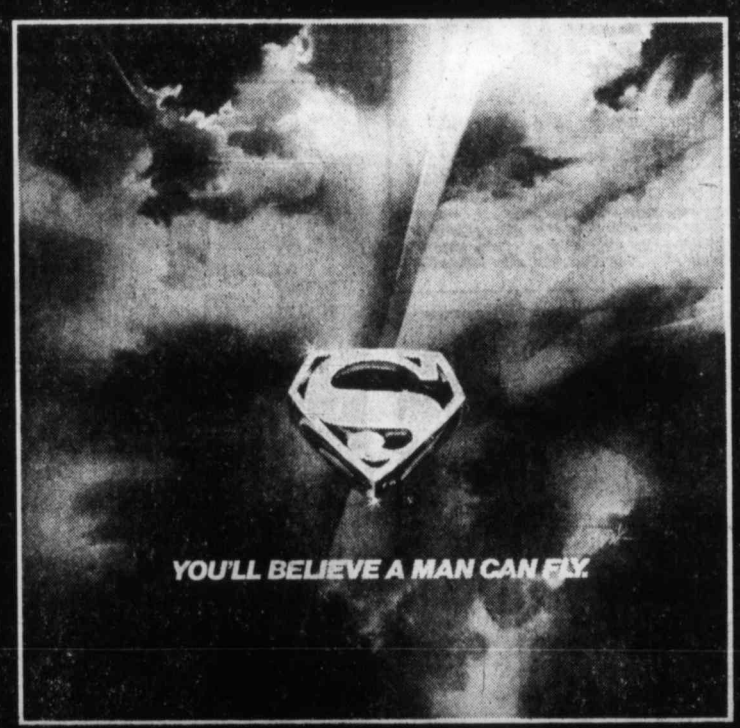

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Rights body corrupt—DA

NEW YORK (UPI)—State Attorney-General Louis Lefkowitz moved Thursday to disband the Congress of Racial Equality, charging that officials of the civil rights group diverted more than $500,000 in contributions to their own use.

In an affidavit filed in state Supreme Court in Manhattan, Lefkowitz charged that the officials used the money for furnishing their homes, for trips overseas and for tickets to heavyweight championship fights.

The attorney-general said the civil rights agency's services to the black community were nonexistent and that he would seek to have the group disbanded.

Justice Stanley Egeth issued a temporary order barring C.O.R.E. officials from soliticing or spending any money or disposing of any property pending a hearing next Tuesday.

The affidavit said an audit of the agency's finances showed a systematic diversion of funds soliticed for charitable purposes.

It was accompanied by a civil complaint that named C.O.R.E. chairman Roy Innis and agency board members Mary Dennison and Wendell Garnett.

The attorney-general said money donated for civil rights purposes was used to furnish the homes of officials in both New York and Los Angeles and for major travel and entertainment expenses.

The money was also used for year-round car rentals and to pay the living expenses of the estranged wife of an official, he said.

The affidavit said more than $80,000 was spent on a two-month excursion to Africa and Europe and officials spent more than $4,000 for tickets to the Ali-Norton and Foreman-Frazier championship fights.

In addition, it said, C.O.R.E. officers used agency credit cards for their own living expenses.

Anti-trust suit embroils X-rated movie business

NEW YORK (UPI)—A federal judge Thursday scheduled a hearing Jan. 16 into an unusual antitrust complaint in the sex business.

Judge Richard Owen said the session would help him decide if *Hustler* magazine was in cahoots with its affiliate, Leisure Time Products, in seeking to monopolize the advertising of X-rated movies for home viewing.

International Home Video Club, Inc., which sells video cassettes of such films as *Deep Throat*, claims Hustler broke its contract with International by rejecting its ad for this month's issue.

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BASTION THEATRE COMPANY presents
The Incredible Murder of Cardinal Tosca
A new Sherlock Holmes adventure by Alden Nowlan & Walter Learning
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Dec. 22 - Jan. 6 8pm
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FUN HOCKEY 9:45 a.m. — 10:45 a.m.
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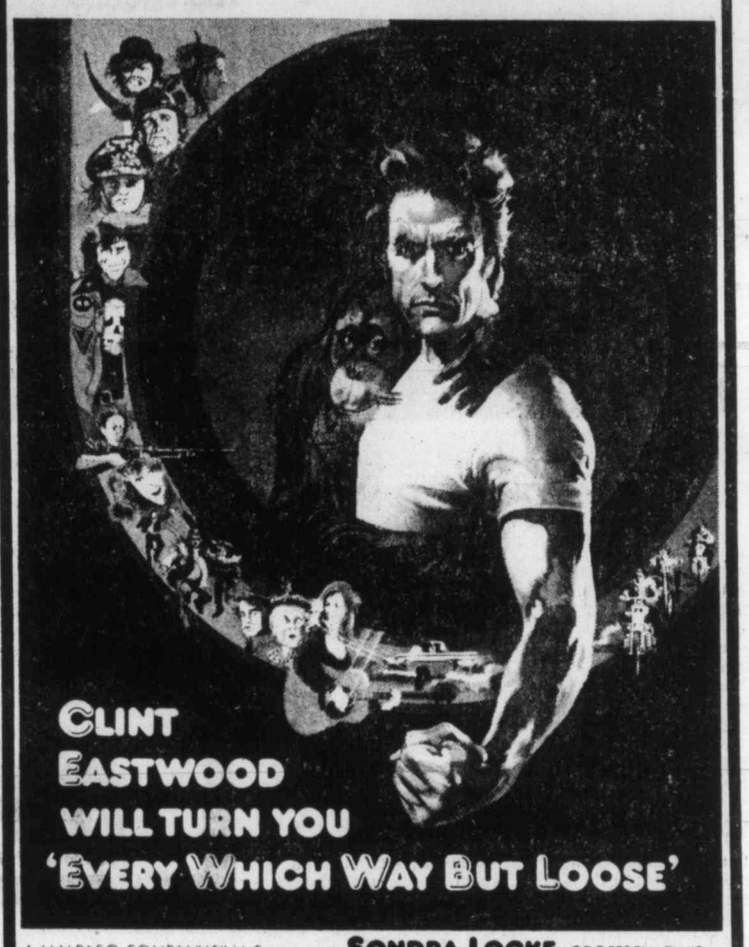

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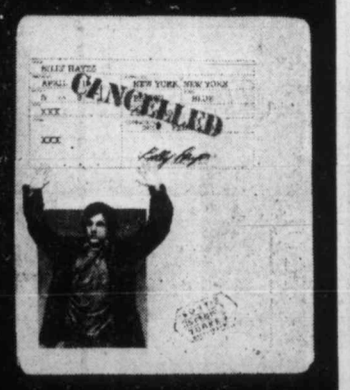

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PETER GUBER OLIVER STONE ALAN MARSHALL DAVID PUTTNAM ALAN PARKER GIORGIO MORODER
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There Ought To Be An Academy Award For Movies That Bring So Much Entertainment To So Many People
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REVENGE OF THE PINK PANTHER
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THE RETURN OF THE PINK PANTHER
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CHINESE MATINEES FOR SAT. DEC. 30
AT 1:30 P.M. "BROKEN OATH"
AT 3:30 P.M. "ELMO TAKES A BRIDE"
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Phone booth busy for 25 days

After 25 days and at least 75 hamburgers, 17-year-old **Mike Lee** stepped out of a Vancouver phone booth Wednesday and into the *Guiness Book of Records*. The Burnaby South high school junior beat the old record for phone booth-sitting by two days, and collected about $1,500 for the British Columbia Lions Society for Crippled Children his mother.

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Singer **Helen Reddy** is suing Capitol Records in Los Angeles for $1.7 million, which she says the recording company owes her for her services.

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King Juan Carlos has signed and endorsed a new Spanish constitution which lays the foundations for an era of democracy after nearly four decades of dictatorship. The 40-year-old monarch put his signature to the 169-article document at a special joint session in Madrid of the Senate and Congress, the two houses of parliament.

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Waldo Rowen paid his property taxes on time, but miscalculated them, rendering a sum a penny short of what he actually owed. Columbus, Ohio, treasurer **Dana Rinehart** wrote to Rowen: "In order to minimize any inconvenience to you, I personally advanced $0.01 out of my own funds to enable your payment to be processed immediately." But it wasn't entirely charity. Rinehart wants his penny back.

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First the radio station played **Bette Midler's** rendition of *Chapel of Love*. Then a Salvation Army major married a couple on the air. "Everyone out here is basically my family, so it's almost like having it at home," said **Tim Ridley**, 25, the groom and the radio station's sales manager. The station gave **Ridley** and his bride, **Sheila Lightfoot**, the gift of six minutes of air time without commercial interruption.

Reddy
. . .sues record company

NAMES in the NEWS

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Senator James Eastland, Mississippi Democrat, has resigned after serving 36 years in the Senate.

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Charles Parmer offered a $3,000 reward for information about burglars who stole his family's Christmas gifts while the Parmers were visiting their paralysed daughter in hospital, in Howard City, Michigan.

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Washington **Governor Dixy Lee Ray** is vacationing at a secret location in Spain with her sister, a personal aide and two state troopers, the governor's press secretary says.

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Arlene Marshall of Orange, Calif., sent an old overcoat to Goodwill Industries just before Christmas without checking the pocket, which contained an envelope full of receipts and $528 cash which her husband had forgotten. So when **Wyoma Hamilton** of Goodwill's headquarters in Santa Ana showed up with the envelope, which she was able to trace through the receipts, Mrs. Marshall was stunned.

In Moscow, Soviet dissident leader **Andrei Sakharov** said his wife had been given permission to travel to Italy for medical treatment after a 10-month wait.

Rideout case 'setback'

Hubby elated, wife shocked

SALEM, Ore. (AP)—Future cases under Oregon's new rape law will be prosecuted vigorously despite the acquittal in the Rideout husband-wife case, District Attorney Gary Gortmaker said Thursday.

"If the grand jury indicts, we will prosecute," Gortmaker said the day after the six-day Rideout trial ended. "We're going to prosecute a husband-wife rape just as vigorously as any other case."

John Rideout, 21, was found not guilty on the unanimous verdict of the jury of the rape of his wife, Greta.

In 1977, Oregon law was rewritten to eliminate marriage as a defence against rape. Rideout was believed to be the first husband charged with raping his wife while they lived together.

Before the acquittal, the defence unsuccessfully challenged the new law on grounds that it violated a married couple's privacy and applied only to one sex.

After the verdict was returned, an elated Rideout said he planned to take a day off from his job as a cook and then return to his normal routine.

"As far as I'm concerned, the marriage is gone," he said. "Both of us have been hurt too deeply."

Mrs. Rideout, 23, said she was very depressed. She had accused her husband of beating and raping her Oct. 10 during a fight in their Salem apartment. He admitted to slapping her that day and making love, but denied forcing her to have sex.

"I feel sorry for Mrs. Rideout, but I think she should be commended for coming forward and being as honest as she was and telling the truth all the way through," said Gortmaker. "She's a good person."

Mrs. Rideout said she was shocked and angry about her husband's acquittal, but did not feel hostile toward him. She said the verdict might discourage other abused wives from turning to the law.

"I know there are women out there right now going through 10 times as much as I did," she said. "They'll feel they have no recourse, that they have to put up with it."

The verdict was described as a setback by local members of the National Organization for Women and members of the Salem Women's Crisis Centre, which counselled and supported Mrs. Rideout.

Art staff quizzed in theft

CHICAGO (AP)—Police began interrogating 700 employees of the Art Institute of Chicago Thursday as part of their investigation into a $3-million theft of three Paul Cezanne paintings.

The masterpieces were missing from their frames in a storage area Wednesday.

In San Francisco, thieves took Rembrandt's *Portrait of a Rabbi*—valued at $1 million—and other valuable paintings from the city museum on Christmas Eve.

Price of food up 16 per cent

OTTAWA (CP)—Higher prices for raisins, lettuce, milk and fish led a 0.6-per-cent increase in food costs during the four-week period ending Dec. 15, the Anti-Inflation Board reported Thursday.

The 12-city survey by the federal government agency showed food prices were 16.4 per cent higher than at the same time last year.

The board reported a weekly food basket for a family of four cost an average of $55.48 nationally, a $1.03-increase from the November average and $6.24 above the December, 1977, average.

Among the 12 cities, the food basket cost was highest in St. John's, Nfld., at $61.17, and lowest in Halifax at $53.99.

Price averages in other cities: Charlottetown, $56.59; Saint John, N.B., $56.88; Quebec, $54.82; Montreal, $54.33; Ottawa-Hull, $54.28; Toronto, $55.67; Winnipeg, $57.32; Regina, $58.25; Edmonton, $55.92; Vancouver, $59.29.

Prices in the two territorial capitals were not computed in the national average. They stood at $79.71 in Yellowknife, N.W.T., and $74.21 in Whitehorse, Y.T.

During the four-week period, the board found prices dropped for a number of items, including pork, beef, weiners, tomatoes and coffee.

The biggest drop—0.7 per cent—occurred among pork prices and the outlook is for continued moderation of prices, the board reported.

The highest price increases occurred among processed fruit—up 12.2 per cent during the four weeks and 32 per cent above levels last year.

The Big Eye

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
IN THE BIG EYE DINING LOUNGE

Friday and Saturday nights only — on presentation of this advertisement (clip out) — we provide

2 Prime Rib Dinners for 11.95

INCLUDES French Onion Soup au Gratin, Salad, Specially Aged Prime Rib of Beef Au Jus, Yorkshire Pudding, Baked Potato, Beverage

By reservation only 7 to 9 p.m.
Enjoy the cabaret after dining if you wish

CLIP AND SAVE

INGRAHAM HOTEL
2915 DOUGLAS ST.
385-6731

NEW YEAR'S EVE AT LAUREL POINT

★It's a mouth-watering menu of:
Lobster Cocktail
or Seafood Newburg
Oxtail•Clear
Caesar Salad
Le Deux Filets Mona Lisa
or
Cornish Game Hen stuffed with Rice
Crepes a la Normande
★Swing along with Jerry Bryant & His Trio
★$90 per couple is the price (with room and New Year's Day Brunch it's $125.00)

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A VERY HAPPY NEW YEAR TO ALL OUR CUSTOMERS

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Beau Séjour

A glass of good honest value every time

Enjoy the family of popular Beau Séjour table and dessert wines, packaged in various sizes for your convenience.

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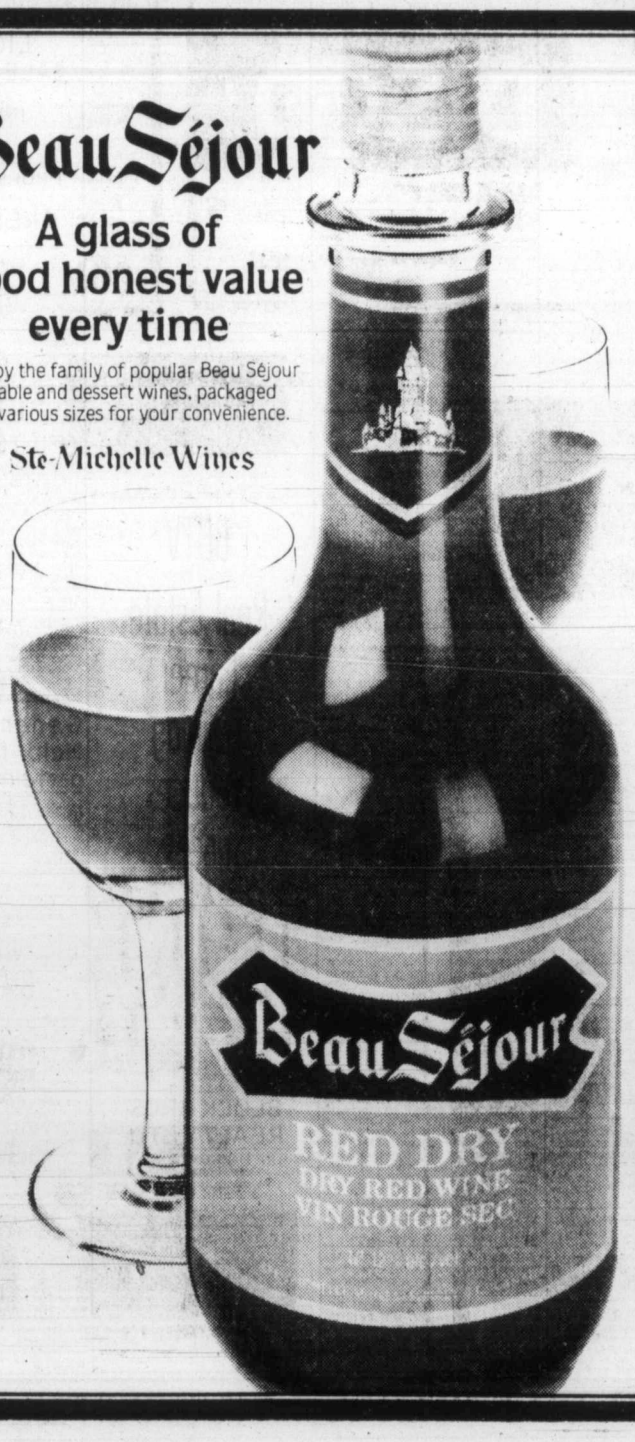

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Canada Safeway

Canada Safeway Limited

Stores Will Be
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December 31st: 10-5 p.m.

Prices Effective: Friday, Saturday & Sunday, Dec. 29th, 30th & 31st. In All Safeway Stores in Greater Victoria and Sidney

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Boneless Beef
Top Sirloin Steak
Superb Canada Grade ..... A lb. $2.99

Wing Steak
Bone In. Canada Grade ..... A lb. $3.39

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Bone In. Canada Grade ..... A lb. $3.49

Porterhouse Steak
Bone In. Canada Grade ..... A lb. $3.59

Party Dips
Lucerne, Assorted Varieties, 250 g tub ..... 49¢

Party Pride
Potato Chips
Assorted Varieties 225 g box ..... 69¢

Orange Juice
Bel-air Frozen, Concentrate. 12½-fl.-oz. size ..... 79¢

Cragmont
Soft Drinks
Assorted Flavors 750-ml bottle .... 3 for $1.00 Plus Bottle Deposit

Tomato Juice
Town House, Fancy, 48-fl.-oz. tin ..... 69¢

Blue Bonnet
Margarine
An Economical Spread ..... 3-lb. pkg. $1.69

B.C. Grown
Fancy Apples
★ Red Delicious
★ Spartans
★ McIntosh
Your Choice ..... 3-lb. cello bag 99¢

Sales in Retail Quantities Only

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BETTS — Gord and Merla are happy to announce the arrival of their son, Brian Reginald, 7 lbs. 4 ozs., on December 22, 1978. Proud grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Gordon and Mr. and Mrs. George Betts. Great-grandmothers are Mrs. S. Brown and Mrs. R. P. Magnuson. Many thanks to Dr. Anne Cooper and maternity staff of Royal Jubilee Hospital. (Insured).

CHURCHILL — Born to Tom and Jacquie, a son, Timothy Gene, 7 lbs. 5 oz., on December 24, 1978. A baby brother for Andrea. Thanks to wonderful Dr. Rasmussen and kind maternity staff at Royal Jubilee.

COOKWELL— Born to Debra and Ken, a handsome baby boy, born Dec. 19, 1978, Kenneth Timothy, brother for Bambi. Thanks to Dr. Dereck Smith and wonderful staff at Victoria General. (Insured).

EAYRS — Born to Brock and Linda on Dec. 22, a daughter Elisabeth Brooke 9 lbs., a sister for Jennifer and Allison. A 3rd grandaughter for Capt., Sir Allen and Lady MacKenzie. Thanks to Dr. K. M. James and staff at Royal Jubilee.

PEARSON — Born to Robin and Suzanne, a boy, Jeffery Ryan, 9 lbs. 8 ozs., on December 15, 1978. Special thanks to Dr. David Baker and staff at Royal Jubilee Hospital. (Insured).

POLLARD—To John and Elaine (nee Rayner) on December 25, 1978, at Royal Jubilee Hospital, a Christmas gift of a son, Nicholas Bert, 7 lbs., 1 oz. A brother for Timothy. Sincere thanks to Dr. Stewart and Maternity Staff.

SMITH — Born to Dale and Gwen, a girl, Melissa Christine, 6 lbs. 5 ozs., on December 13, 1978 at 3:56 p.m. Thanks to Dr. Gibson and staff at Victoria General.

STEVENSON — Born to John and Lynn, a boy, Scott Robert, 7 lbs. 3 ozs., on December 26, 1978. Thanks to Drs. K. Chan, Colwill and Jagdis and maternity staff at Royal Jubilee Hospital.

SUTHERLAND — Born to Jim and Val, a boy, Ryan James, 8 lbs. 8 ozs., on Dec. 22, 1978. Thanks to Drs. Adey, Schecter and Colwill and the great maternity staff at Vic. General.

TUTTE — Born to Gerry and Lorraine, a girl, Andrea Lockhart, 10 lbs., 3 oz., on December 24, 1978. First grandchild of Ron and Audrey Benn and ninth grandchild of Roy and Mary Tutte. Thanks to Drs. Curran and Bianco and Maternity Staff of Victoria General Hospital. Insured.

14 ANNOUNCEMENTS

SWIMWEAR, DANCEWEAR, eveningwear for "whatever you want" wear and "however you care" wear to go some wear, or no wear, it's "now wear"! And it's here, wear we are, Giselle's Theatre Danceshop, 2nd floor, Market Square. 388-6534.

15 COMING EVENTS AND MEETINGS

ESQUIMALT LIONS BINGO
OAP HALL
1600 GOVERNMENT
FRIDAY, DEC. 29
EARLY BIRD 6:45
REGULAR GAMES 7:30
5 EXTRA GAMES
ADMISSION $1.00
2 EXTRA $50 PRIZES

ESQUIMALT LEGION BINGO
There will be no bingo Sunday December 31st. Next Bingo Sunday January 7th.
HAPPY NEW YEAR.

ESQUIMALT NDP NEW YEAR'S EVE DANCE
Dominion Hall 802 Esq. Rd.
Buffet Supper Refreshments. Favours. 9 till 3 am. $7.50 per person. Members and friends phone 478-1179 for tickets and information.

$1000 TIGER BINGO
B-9
Gift Certificate Donators Queen's Pay Less, Sidney, Juan de Fuca News.
NO JANUARY BINGO

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN Church, corner Courtney and Douglas, cares for you. Friendship, coffee, tea, free. Wednesdays, 9:30am-12:30pm. Saturdays, 12pm-3pm. See you there.

ATHLETIC BINGO WEDNESDAY NOW AT
Garth Homer Centre 813 Darwin

VICTORIA SINGLES HAPPENING Christmas Dance, Dec 29th. Leonardo DaVinci Center, 9-1, advanced tickets only. Hillside Mall. 384-5789, 595-1160, 388-9465.

MINUS ONE CLUB, NEW Years Eve Dance, for widowed, divorced, separated. For tickets call 598-8314, 595-0675. No sales at door.

CAT SHOW ENTRIES CLOSE January 8th 1979. 595-5184.

16 CATERING, BANQUETS and RECEPTION RMS

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Mexican and International Cuisine
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20 LOST and FOUND

LOST: GOLD LOCKET, INTials on one side, carved woman's face on other, with keepsake pictures inside; reward, 477-2475, 387-5363.

LOST: 9 MONTH OLD WHITE Persian cat near Mayfair, eyes: 1 blue, 1 green, has two collars, chain leash with red handle, phone 383-1627.

LOST, CHRISTMAS DAY, MALE kitten, 3 months old, black with white patch on eye, Gordon Head McKenize area. Missed Greatly. 477-6194.

LOST: VICTORIA GENERAL Hospital area within last 2 weeks, mans gold wedding band with stone. Call after 5, 595-2893.

LOST: JAKE, YOUNG MALE black lab, December 23rd, East Sooke Road. Reward. Call H. 642-4638, W. 383-1191.

LOST: DEC. 23RD, SEMI LONG haired young male tabby, north Douglas area, phone before 11, after 8, 479-0387.

LOST: MALE SILVER MINIAture poodle wearing black coat, Glanford area. Reward. Call 479-1575 or 386-1070.

GENEROUS REWARD FOR return of "Levi", sleek black male cat lost around Glanford, McKenzie and Carey. 479-0528.

FOUND: WHITE SHORT haired cat, Hanover Pl. Cordova Bay. 386-9832, 383-9477. Animals' Crusaders.

LOST: NEAR DUNCAN, LIVER and white Springer Spaniel. Reward. phone 748-4801 Collect.

LOST: NISHIKI SHIELDS Girls bike, 30 speed, Red, Serial #13826. Reward. 477-8916.

LOST-YELLOW PIED BUDGIE named Piper, want him home for Christmas. 382-8789, 382-4022.

LOST LARGE SUM OF MONEY, downtown area. Reward. 595-3795.

LOST: BICYCLE, LADIES RAliegh Sprite from Oak Bay Rec. despair. 598-8443.

REWARD LOST BLACK LAB setter cross with grey mussel, 656-1406 or 656-6715.

LOST: WHITE MALE SAmoyed, licensed, 1 year old, name is Whisky, reward, 386-1995.

LOST: B.M.W. HUBCAP, INterurban-Wilkinson area. Reward. 382-3253.

LOST: QUARTZ WATCH, MT. Douglas Park area. Reward. 385-0307.

FOUND: ONE BLACK NOISY kitten, 7-8 weeks, broken tail, Simpson Sears area. 595-1029.

LOST: ONE FEMALE MALtese-Terrier, in a blue coat, Phone 385-8840.

GOOD REWARD. LOST-LOWER denture, around Fisgard St. 382-7819.

21 HELP WANTED GENERAL

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ADULTS
BOYS GIRLS
DAILY COLONIST routes are coming available in the following area.
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MONTHLY PROFITS of $1.13 per customer plus Territorial Allowances can be earned. INTERESTED PERSON CONTACT J. BRADFORD, 2621 Douglas St. Victoria, telephone 383-4111, ex. 164.

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REGISTERED NURSES
Applications are now being accepted for nurses registered in B.C. Pediatric experience preferred.
Please address application to:
Miss M. Shugg
Assistant Director of Nursing
Children's Hospital
250 West 59th Ave.
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CAREER OPPORTUNITY
Dynamic new Security Company has full and part-time positions available in Victoria in Jan. Maturity, reliability, good grooming, and an ability to relate to the public are essential qualities. Availability for shift work an asset. Company training will be provided. Excellent opportunity for advancement to managerial position in this rapidly growing company.
Only those who submit a full resume will be considered. Reply promptly to: P.O. Box 488, Post Station A, Vancouver, B.C. V6C2N3.

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Applications now being accepted for assistant manager. Must have knowledge and one year previous experience in store operation and merchandising. For interview Call 598-7212.

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RESPONSIBLE PERSON TO babysit nights 595-0949, 382-8982.

WAITER/WAITRESS WANTED. Apply in person 712 Yates.

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MIDDLE AGED CARETAKING couple wanted to assist manager in the maintenance of highrise apartment. Please give resume in your reply. Apply to Victoria Press Box 745.

REQUIRED IMMEDIATELY relief Night Auditor, only those with experience need apply. Apply Sherwood Park Inn, 123 Gorge Rd. No telephone calls please.

MATURE DRUG STORE clerk, required for Western Drug Mart. Drug store experience a necessity. No phone calls accepted. Reply in writing only to Victoria Press Box 759.

BABYSITTER STARTING January 2nd for our 8 month baby girl, approximately 4-5 hours per day, Monday-Friday. Prefer our house, Beacon Hill area. 382-1149.

PERSON REQUIRED TO PERform, general preparation and short order duties in cafeteria. Applications in writing only, Victoria Y Cafeteria, 880 Courtney St. V8W1C4.

EXPERIENCED SILK AND wool finisher for dry cleaning plant. Our staff know of this ad. Give full resume to Victoria Press Box 746.

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DAYCARE SITTER URGENTly needed by January 2nd. Passmore Place-McKenzie School area. 388-9571, days or 479-3212, evenings.

CASHIER HOSTESS FOR night shift, mature middle aged person preferred, apply in person after 4:30 at the Peacock Restaurant.

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EXPERIENCED DETROIT Deisel mechanic required in New Westminster area. Top Union wages and full benefits. Phone 112-524-8611.

WANTED EXPERIENCED person to repair and replace canvas on tent trailers. Phone 479-2209

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WANTED COMPANION housekeeper for older lame lady. Non-smoker, valid drivers license, Deep Cove area. 656-2887.

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MATURE RELIABLE BABYsitter wanted all day, my home in Northridge area. Call 479-4933 after 6 pm.

REQUIRE BABYSITTER IMmediately, shift work, 2 small children, my home, Bay and Fernwood. 385-9284.

WANTED: GRADUATE NURSE for 4 evenings per week. Phone for appointment, 383-7814.

MATURE COUPLE TO CAREtake 50 suite quality apartment. Victoria Press Box 736.

BABYSITTER WANTED IN Craigflower school area. From 3:30 to 5:30. 383-6653, call after 6.

WOMAN TO CARE FOR CHILdren and home one week, references required. 592-3344.

BABYSITTER WANTED FOR Saturdays only, Phelps Subdivision. Students ? 478-7381.

SERVICE STATION MANager-operator needed, experience a definite asset, phone 539-5552.

22 OFFICE HELP

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CAPITAL REGIONAL DISTRICT
requires
SECRETARY TO COMMITTEES

Under general direction from the Secretary to the Board, the successful candidate will be required to act as recording secretary for Standing Committees of the Capital Regional District.

Duties will include preparing agendas, taking and transcribing minutes of meetings, maintaining the corresponding records and performing other related duties.

Salary will be comensurate with qualifications and experience.

Applicants should have high school graduation or equivalent educational standing including or supplemented by courses in typing (65 w.p.m.) and shorthand (120 w.p.m.). They should also have previous secretarial experience and perferably have experience as a recording secretary.

Applications giving details of education and experience will be received by the Employment Officer, Capital Regional District, P.O. Drawer 1000, Victoria, B.C. V8W 2S6, no later than noon, Wednesday, January 3rd, 1979.

DICTA-TYPIST
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BOOKKEEPER - PART TIME (approx. 20 hours per week) with accounting skills to manage payroll and full financial statements for an arts organization. Required immediately. Salary negotiable. Call for interview 385-9771.

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23 SKILLED TRADES

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Mechanical Technician
(Immediately for approximately six months)

To assist senior technicians in the construction and assembly of an electromagnet. Work requires bending copper tubes and careful and clean assembly of components prior to brazing. Some machine-shop skills required; lathe and milling machine experience and brazing techniques useful. Two- to three-years experience in machine-shop work required.

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Applications in writing or in person to Personnel Services, "L" Building, University of Victoria, Box 1700, Victoria, V8W 2Y2, by January 4, 1979.

BIO MEDICAL ELECTRONICS TECHNICIAN
Required for 361 bed acute care regional hospital on central Vancouver Island.

The position is responsible to the plant superintendent for the maintenance and repair of all bio-medical equipment and systems.

The successful candidate must have completed a recognized bio-medical training course, and have a minimum of 2 years previous experience. Salary and fringe benefits as per existing collective agreement.

Applications will be accepted until January 5, 1978, by Mr. D. A. Mortenson, Personnel Director, Nanaimo Regional General Hospital, 1200 Dufferin Crescent, Nanaimo, B.C.

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The following positions available immediately
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Apply to:
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Victoria, B.C
V9A1L2
Phone 386-2464.

MILLSTREAM CHEVROLET Ltd. requires immediately one part time bodyman, one part time paint prepper - if our workload continues these will turn into full time positions. Only those applicants with experience and references need apply. Phone 474-1211 local 43.

JOURNEYMEN MACHINISTS wanted for Duncan office. $10 per hour, $10.60 per hour March 1st, 1979. All union benefits, write E & M Machine Works, P.O. Box 566 Duncan, B.C. V9L3X9 or phone 746-5181 or 683-4985 ask for Al or Blake.

FOREMAN WANTED
For a 12 machine shingle and shake mill in the Fraser Valley. Must have a minimum of 5 years experience in the management field. Apply Victoria Press, Box 738.

EXPERIENCED FILER WANTED
For a modern mill in Ruskin. Must have experience with shingle saws and shake saws. Write Victoria Press, Box 738.

FOOD SERVICES SUPERVISOR
required for large intermediate care facility. Completion of certified course required. Reply with resume to 336 Simcoe Street.

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28 EMPLOYMENT SERVICE

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RELIABLE TRUSTWORTHY woman desires housecleaning. Keep this ad. 479-3229.

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TAKE NOTICE that an action has been commenced against you in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, by Coho Cove Estates Ltd., for specific performance or cancellation of that certain Agreement for Sale dated the 18th day of January, 1974, and registered in the Victoria Land Registry Office under Number C 93059, as assigned to you under a Quit Claim Deed registerd in the Victoria Land Registry Office under Number F 74041, and for Judgment against you in the sum of $5,495.90, together with interest at the rate of $1.15 per day from the 1st day of August, 1978. Your whereabouts being unknown, the Court has ordered service of the Petition and Supporting Affidavits on you by this Notice.
AND FURTHER TAKE NOTICE that if you desire to defend the said action, you must within fourteen (14) days from the publication of this Notice, inclusive of the day of such publication, enter an Appearance at the Registrar's Office, 30 Front Street, Nanaimo, British Columbia. In default of such Appearance Judgment may be entered against you and the Petitioner may proceed to cancellation.
DATED at Nanaimo, British Columbia, this 21st day of December, AD 1978.
ROBERT G. HARRIS,
Solicitor to the Petitioner

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA
BETWEEN:
GREAT NATIONAL LAND & INVESTMENT CORP. LTD.
PETITIONER:
AND:
JOHN FRANCIS VALIANT
RESPONDENT:
NOTICE
TO:
JOHN FRANCIS VALIANT
TAKE NOTICE that an action has been commenced against you in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, by Coho Cove Estates Ltd., for specific performance or cancellation of that certain Agreement for Sale dated the 22nd day of January, 1974, and registered in the Victoria Land Registry Office under Number C 93060, as assigned to you under a Quit Claim Deed registered in the Victoria Land Registry Office under Number F 74042, and for Judgment against you in the sum of $6,510.21, together with interest at the rate of $1.15 per day from the 1st day of August, 1978. Your whereabouts being unknown, the Court has ordered service of the Petition and Supporting Affidavits on you by this Notice.
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BETWEEN:
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PETITIONER:
AND:
JOHN FRANCIS VALIANT
RESPONDENT:
TO:
JOHN FRANCIS VALIANT
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Deaths and funerals

305 DEATHS and FUNERALS

BAMFORD — In Victoria, on December 22, 1978, Norman M. Bamford, aged 71 years, of 671 Linkleas Avenue, born in England and resident here for 27 years. He is survived by his sister, Dorothy Gallagher of San Diego, California and a niece, Mrs. Curt Perry of La Jolla, California. He was a member of the Oak Bay Lions Club.
Funeral service in McCall Bros. Chapel, Johnson and Vancouver Streets, on Friday, December 29, at 3:30 p.m. with the Rev. Dr. A. E. King officiating, followed by cremation. (No flowers by request. Donations, if desired, may be made to the Lions Club Charities, c/o Oak Bay Lions Club.)

BOYD — On Dec. 14, 1978, W. Harry, Apt. 105-1015 Kings Rd, Victoria, formerly of Edmonton, Alberta. Survived by his loving wife Joan and two sisters, Mrs. G. Russell, Port Albernie, Mrs. L. Scott, Calgary Alberta.
Private cremation was held.

BRAY — Douglas Haig, formerly of Victoria and for the past several years resident of Vancouver, died in that city December 26, 1978. Born September 15, 1918 in Toronto, Ontario, moving to Victoria with his parents at the age of two where he attended public school and Victoria High School. Mr. Bray was well-known in Victoria as an outstanding athlete, having played soccer, basketball, lacrosse and rugby. He was selected many times to the Victoria Representative Rugby Team as well as to the British Columbia Representation Rugby Team. He was also a longtime member of the James Bay Athletic Association. Mr. Bray was retired from the Federal Department of Immigration. He served with the Canadian Army in England during World War II. He is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Charmain Lenz, Mrs. Sandra Fedrigo, Deborah and five grandchildren, all of Victoria.
Funeral services will be held at First Memorial Services, North Vancouver at 4 p.m., December 29, 1978. A memorial service will be held in Victoria, Tuesday, January 2, 1979 at 3 p.m. in St. Alban's Anglican Church, Ryan and Belmont Streets, conducted by the Reverend F.W. Hayes.

CHISHOLM — Dr. Gavin on Christmas Night, 1978 in his 78th year, beloved husband of Helen S., father of Duncan and his wife, Gloria (Brooks, Alberta), his daughter, Lorna and husband Geoffrey Rooper, four grandchildren. Dr. Chisholm was a specialist of E.N.T., formerly of Montreal and served in R.C.N.V.R. and practiced in Victoria from 1946. Chief of Staff Royal Jubilee Hospital, member of the Victoria Golf Club and founding member of the V.I.C.C.
Private cremation. Flowers and cards gratefully declined. Arrangements through the Memorial Society of B.C. and First Memorial Services Ltd.

FOREVER WITH THE LORD
DAVIS — On December 26, 1978 in Victoria, British Columbia, Gladys Phyllis Eileen Davis, aged 79 years, of 2418 Florence Street, a resident of Victoria for 27 years, formerly of Aurora, Ontario. She is survived by her loving husband Herbert H. at the residence; one brother, Mr. Carmen E. Tilson of Aurora, Ontario and several nieces and nephews.
Accompanied to Aurora, Ontario for service and interment from Thompsons's Funeral Home, Aurora, on Saturday, December 30 at 1:30 p.m. (Flowers gratefully declined. Friends, if desired, may donate Gideon Bibles) McCall Bros., Victoria.

FRASER — In Victoria, B.C. on December 23, 1978, Mrs. Iris E. Fraser, widow of Lawrence Fraser, aged 74 years, born in England and a resident of Victoria for many years, late residence, 105 - 915 Cook Street. She leaves her nieces, Mrs. Audrey Simmonds and Mrs. Denise Hendra, Victoria, B.C., and Mrs. Marla Abbott, Mill Bay, B.C.
Memorial service in the Sands Mortuary Limited "Family Chapel of Memories" on Tuesday, January 2, 1979, at 1:00 p.m. Interment at the Hatley Memorial Gardens. Flowers gratefully declined.
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GUEST — John Ivor (Jack) passed away Wednesday 27, December 1978 at Lions Gate Hospital at age 63.
Funeral service will be held at the Hollyburn Funeral Home, 1807 Marine Drive, West Vancouver, Thursday January 4th at 11 am. Cremation to follow. In lieu of flowers contributions may be sent to the B.C. Cancer Society.

GUZE — In Victoria, B.C. on December 24th, 1978, Mr. Albert Guze, aged 56 years, born in Alberta and a resident of Troshu and Calgary, Alberta for many years and a resident of 474 Gorge Rd. East, Victoria, B.C. for the past year. He leaves his wife, Gladys, at home; son, Allan and daughter, Debi, Victoria, B.C.; four grandchildren; sisters, Mrs. A. A. (Eileen) Arneson, Calgary, Alberta and Mrs. Robert (Elsie) Schwab, North Africa; nieces and nephews.
Service in the Chapel of McInnis and Holloway, Calgary, Alberta on Saturday, December 30th, 1978 at 1:00 p.m. Interment at the Mountain View Cemetery, Calgary, Alberta. Flowers gratefully declined. Those so desiring may contribute to the Heart Foundation. Arrangements by the Sands Mortuary Limited.
SANDS — VICTORIA

STRATHY — Col. James Gowan Kirkpatrick, O.B.E., K.St.J., E.D., C.D., D.S.L.ff. Suddenly at York Central Hospital, Richmond Hill on Wednesday, December 27, 1978. Beloved husband of the late Catherine Millard Cockburn, loved father of Robert, Jane (Mrs. Peter H. Warren) and John. Lovingly remembered by his eight grandchildren, dear brother Colin M. A. Strathy.
Service will be held at All Saints Church, King City, Ontario, on Saturday, December 30, at 11 o'clock. Please, no flowers. Memorial donations may be sent to The Bishop Frederick H. Wilkinson Foundation, 135 Adelaide Street East, Toronto, or the Charity of your choice.

WILLIAMS and JONES — Suddenly on December 23, 1978 at Beach Road, Port Renfrew, British Columbia, Rosetta Elizabeth Williams, age 22 years, David Edward Jones, age 7 years, Norman Issac Jones, age 5 years, William Natham Williams, age 3 years, Walter Warren Williams, age 2 years. They leave their loved ones, William Williams, David Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pat, Mrs. Emily Jones, Mrs. Lena Jones; aunts; uncles; cousins; nieces and nephews.
Prayers and Mass for Rosetta Elizabeth Williams and her four sons in the Pacheenaht Hall, Port Rentrew, British Columbia, on Friday, December 29, 1978 at 11:00 a.m. Rev. Father William Mudge celebrant. Interment in the Pacheenaht Band Cemetery, Port Rentrew, British Columbia. Arrangements by the Sands Mortuary Limited.
SANDS — VICTORIA

Heavy are our
hearts today,
Memory brings you
back once more,
To the time when
you were with us,
To the happy
days of yore.

308 CARDS OF THANKS

My husband, father and I would like to thank our many friends and co-workers who were so kind and helpful during our recent bereavement. Your thoughtfulness in the way of cards, flowers, gifts of food and expressions of sympathy was so deeply appreciated. — Sincerely, Catherine and Jim Krock, John Beach.

The family of Edna Carroll wish to express their appreciation to the pallbearers, Sands Funeral Home, Richmond and Bay Pavilions of Royal Jubilee Hospital and Drs. Pound and Baker for kindness rendered.

I wish to extend my sincere thanks to my neighbours, friends and relatives for their acts of kindness, cards, donations and expressions of sympathy upon the loss of my wife, Marjorie (Midge) Wratten. — B. Wratten.

309 IN MEMORIAM

ANDERSON - In memory of our beloved wife and mother Elda Mae Anderson, who passed away December 29, 1970. Lovingly remembered by her husband and sons.

CLARKSON WM T. (BILL) IN ever loving memory of my darling husband (Will) who passed away December 29th 1970
Some one loved you more than
Anything in the World
Some broken hearts never mend
Some tear's never dry
Some One misses you more each day
Until we meet again, forever loved and sadly missed, Bessie

FULLER- In loving memory of Eliz. E. Fuller, who passed away December 27th 1952. Sadly missed and ever remembered by her family.

Knight - In loving memory of a dear mother who passed away Dec. 29th, 1977. God saw the road was getting rough and the hills were hard to climb. So he closed your weary eyelids and whispered peace be thine. Sadly missed by daughter Eileen.

Martin - In loving memory of Elsie R. who passed away Dec. 29, 1977. Lovingly remembered by her sister Maude Rye, nephews, cousins and friends. And while she lies in peaceful sleep, Her memory we shall always keep.

THEY SHALL GROW NOT OLD AS WE WHO ARE LEFT GROW OLD, AGE SHALL NOT WEARY THEM, NOR THE YEARS CONDEMN. AT THE GOING DOWN OF THE SUN, AND IN THE MORNING, WE WILL REMEMBER THEM.
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In the matter of the Estate of NORAH ELIZABETH BAYFIELD, Deceased.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of Norah Elizabeth Bayfield, deceased, are required to send full particulars of such claims to the undersigned solicitors for the estate, on or before the 20th day of January, A.D. 1979 after which date the Executor will distribute the estate's assets having regard only to the claims of which he has notice.
ROBERT KEITH BRYDEN
Executor
Matthews, Bryden & Dalton,
Barristers and Solicitors,
202-1207 Douglas Street,
P.O. Box 1026,
Victoria, B.C.
V8W 2S6

PROVINCIAL CAPITAL COMMISSION
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
SEALED TENDERS ARE invited by the Honourable Sam Bawlf, Minister responsible for the Provincial Capital Commission for:
Project No. 19-970-19
Contract No. #2
Description Electrical Installations
Location Boat Basin, Wharf Street, Victoria, B.C.
Tenders will be received up to 2:00 P.M. local time on January 15, 1979 at the offices of the Provincial Capital Commission, 1002 Wharf Street, Victoria, B.C. and will be opened in public at that time.
The work consists of lighting to floats.
Tendering documents may be obtained from the office of the Provincial Capital Commission, 1002 Wharf Street, Victoria, B.C. on and after January 2, 1979.
Requests for documents may be made by telephone to the Project Engineer, Provincial Capital Commission, Victoria, 387-1356, or to Amalgamated Construction Association, Vancouver, 736-6311.
The Drawings and Specifications may be viewed at Vancouver Island Construction Association, 1075 Alston Sreet, Victoria, B.C. and the Amalgamated Construction Association, Vancouver and Burnaby.
Inquiries may be directed to the Project Engineer, Mr. A. English, P. Eng., at Victoria, 387-1356.
A bid bond for 10 per cent of the tendering prices must accompany each tender.
The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.
G. L. Giles,
Provincial Capital Commission

NOTICE TO CREDITORS IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF CREIGHTON ARMSTRONG, Deceased
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of Creighton Armstrong, deceased, are required to send full particulars of such claims to the undersigned solicitors for the estate, on or before the 20th day of January, A.D. 1978 after which date the Executor will distribute the estate's assets having regard only to the claims of which he has notice.
ROBERT KEITH BRYDEN,
Executor
Matthews, Bryden & Dalton,
Barristers and Solicitors,
202-1207 Douglas Street,
P.O. Box 1026,
Victoria, B.C.
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PROVINCIAL CAPITAL COMMISSION
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
SEALED TENDERS are invited by the Honourable Sam Bawlf, Minister responsible for the Provincial Capital Commission for:
Project No. 19-970-17
Contract No. 3
Description: Electrical Installations
Location: Ship Point Wharf, Inner Harbour, Victoria, B.C.
Tenders will be received up to 2:00 p.m. local time on January 15, 1979, at the offices of the Provincial Capital Commission, 1002 Wharf Street, Victoria, B.C., and will be opened in public at that time.
The work consists of navigation lights and new underground service to site.
Tendering documents may be obtained from the office of the Provincial Capital Commission, 1002 Wharf Street, Victoria, B.C. on and after January 2, 1979.
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G. L. GILES,
Provincial Capital Commission.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND OTHERS
Re the estate of LILLIAN POWELL also known as LILIAN POWELL, Deceased, late of 202, 905 Burdett Avenue, Victoria, British Columbia
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that creditors and others having claims against the estate of the deceased are hereby required to send them in to the undersigned executrix in care of her solicitors, Messrs. Cardinal, Edgar and Emberton, 760 Hillside Avenue, Victoria, British Columbia before January 20th, 1979 after which date the executrix will distribute the estate amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which she has then notice.
DOROTHY CHARPENTIER,
Executrix
By her solicitors
Messrs. Cardinal,
Edgar & Emberton

PROVINCIAL CAPITAL COMMISSION
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
SEALED TENDERS are invited by the Honourable Sam Bawlf, Minister responsible for the Provincial Capital Commission for:
Project No. 19-970-17
Contract No.: #2
Description: Mechanical Installations
Location: Ship Point Wharf, Inner Harbour, Victoria, B.C.
Tenders will be received up to 2:00 p.m. local time on January 15, 1979 at the offices of the Provincial Capital Commission, 1002 Wharf Street, Victoria, B.C. and will be opened in public at that time.
The work consists of a fire hydrant line and a potable water line.
Tendering documents may be obtained from the office of the Provincial Capital Commission, 1002 Wharf Street, Victoria, B.C. on and after January 2, 1979.
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—CP

Thirsty beads new hope in pollution fight

Anco Chemicals Ltd., of Maple, Ont., has developed blanket of beads, called imbiber beads, that may be major breakthrough in cleaning up oil spills. New product soaks up oil-based pollutants and holds mess in beads so it cannot leak out. Picture shows pad with beads soaking up pollutant in water.

1978 bad year—PSAC

Job security battle looming, says chief

OTTAWA (UPI)—Relations between the federal government and its employees took a severe beating in 1978 and "can only worsen" next year, Public Service Alliance of Canada president Andy Stewart said Thursday.

The government's intentions to cut 5,000 jobs, decentralize the public service and end indexing of public service pensions "are all having serious effects on morale in the public service," Stewart said. "These indicate that the relationship can only worsen in the New Year."

Stewart, in a New Year's message, said the 180,000-member alliance would fight for jobs and job security in the new year.

"We will work even harder to reverse the government policy of increasing the use of outside firms and individuals to do work that can be performed more cheaply and efficiently by public service employees."

The union leader called for solidarity within the union to gain increases in wages and benefits to compensate for what they failed to gain during three years of wage and price controls.

"But our efforts will be met head-on by a government policy to continue wage controls on public service employees after they have ended for other workers."

Stewart said the PSAC would fight Bill C-22, the legislation which would tie public service wage settlements to those in the private sector, because it would eliminate collective bargaining in the public service.

Although Stewart called on members "to make their union work for them" in the federal election expected next spring, he said the PSAC would not endorse any political party.

"We plan to step up our educational program to inform public servants of MPs' and party platforms," he said.

PM warns country of Quebec 'delusion'

TORONTO (CP)—Prime Minister Trudeau said Thursday that Canadians who did not think it was possible that Quebec would separate were deluding themselves.

The prime minister said in an interview on the CTV television network that he could not talk to those who felt separation was inevitable, but said, "Something must be wrong with the country for one-third of the people to want to get out."

He added that people were not concerned about unity because they felt Quebec's separation was either inevitable or impossible.

He said the people of Quebec did not want to separate but the country was still in danger.

Trudeau agreed with interviewer Bruce Phillips that after Quebec Premier Rene Levesque's election in 1976, English Canadians were concerned about unity, but now they felt there was little they could do.

He said the fact that no one was talking about national unity threatened the country.

The prime minister said his government would try to make national unity an issue in the federal election expected this spring, but added that he could only discuss problems Canadians wanted to talk about.

Recent public opinion polls have shown that English Canadians feel unemployment and other economic problems are more pressing than national unity. The polls have also shown Trudeau trailing Conservative leader Joe Clark in personal popularity.

But Trudeau reiterated his stand that he would lead the Liberals in the next election.

"I'm here. I'm here to stay," he said, denying suggestions he might step down if he felt he could not win the election.

"Polls are down but they have been down before and I've been elected after they've been down."

Trudeau insisted the Canadian economy was sound and had outperformed other industrialized nations. He cited the country's record of job creation and said he could prove Canada was doing better than other countries.

He said the devalued Canadian dollar would continue to aid the economy in 1979 but said the government could not let its guard down and had to fear a new spurt of inflation.

Detroit bishop accused

I'll never quit —Nazi-hunter

TORONTO (CP)—A self-described Nazi-hunter says persecutors of Jews during the Second World War are living in the United States and Canada.

Dr. Charles Kremer, who claims responsibility for a pending trial on war crimes involving Romanian Orthodox Bishop John Trifa of Detroit, Mich., told a news conference Thursday he would not rest until he saw the bishop and others like him behind bars.

"I'll fight as long as I live until justice comes to those (Jewish) martyrs who were killed . . . killed on butcher hooks like animals," the Romanian-born dentist said.

Kremer was visiting Toronto to speak to a student group.

"People say the time has come for Germany to forget these (persecutions), but I believe we have no right to even think to forget it. We can't. Any crime that has been done must be prosecuted."

Asked if he believed there were Canadian residents who had been been involved in crimes against the Jews during the Second World War, Kremer said, "Without any hesitation, I say there are."

Shelter a sign of hope

HOLMAN, N.W.T. (CP)—Hopes that a man lost in an Arctic wasteland for 12 days may be alive were renewed Wednesday night when RCMP and Inuit searchers found a natural rock shelter and signs it had been used.

The discovery came a few hours after searchers had located gear belonging to Fred Van Duffelen buried in snow.

Van Duffelen, 26, manager of the Holman Island Co-operative, has been missing since he went hunting Dec. 16 in the rocky cliffs, valleys and huge boulders near this Victoria Island settlement, 400 kilometres inside the Arctic Circle and 2,000 kilometres north of Edmonton.

Police aircraft and civilian searchers have been scouring the tundra, where temperatures have dropped to minus 40 degrees, for seven days. A police dog and 15 Inuit and police searchers returned to the rock formation Thursday to begin a search back towards Holman.

Hopes of finding Van Duffelen alive diminished Wednesday when essential supplies—sleeping bag, rifle, snow knife, stove, food and gasoline—were found buried beneath his abandoned snowmobile.

Don Webster, RCMP inspector in charge of the search, said in a telephone interview that "it looked like someone had been sitting underneath" the rock shelter in the last few days.

Webster said Van Duffelen had planned to fly south from Holman for Christmas with friends.

"This guy could surprise us all," Webster said. "The situation doesn't look that good but you never know."

Task unifies us all—Leger

OTTAWA (UPI)—Jules Leger, the retiring governor general, Thursday expressed his warm gratitude to the nation for its support during his five years in office and said while it was hard to maintain a national identity the task of being a Canadian was a unifying force.

In a short New Year's message, the 65-year-old governor general said that when he first took office in January 1974, he spoke of the difficulty of being Canadians.

"I would like to end my term by recalling the same image," Leger said. "Although being a Canadian is still hard we draw more strongly to this task which captivates us and gives meaning to our lives."

Leger, who will be succeeded next month by former Manitoba premier Ed Shreyer, said he and his wife, Gabrielle, had come to know many people across the country during their travels and thanked them for their warmth and hospitality.

"More than ever," he said, "we realize what a good place it is to live in and how full of promise for the future."

Mrs. Leger expressed a special concern for children in 1979 in view of the International Year of the Child. She urged Canadians "to do all you can to enrich their lives.

"Listen to them, care for them, work with them, enjoy them."

Catch locations correct—or else

ST. JOHN'S, Nfld. (CP)—Stiff licence suspensions will be imposed on any trawlers and skippers found guilty in 1979 of giving false information on the location of their catches, Fisheries Minister Romeo LeBlanc said Thursday.

LeBlanc mentioned problems caused by misreporting of catch locations in a statement announcing that 1979 Canadian fish quotas off the east coast have been set at 548,000 metric tons, an increase of 59,000 tons over last year.

He said the quota was available to 160 deep-sea trawlers and 10,500 smaller vessels.

"Reporting of accurate catch information is vital for scientific assessments and in determining catch allocations," LeBlanc said.

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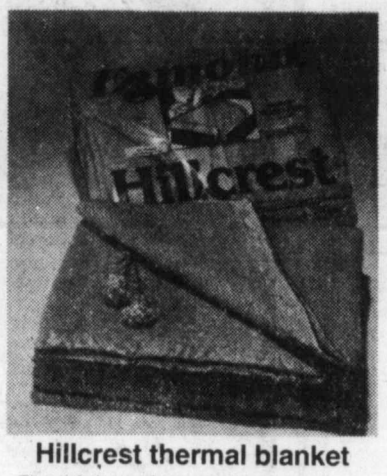

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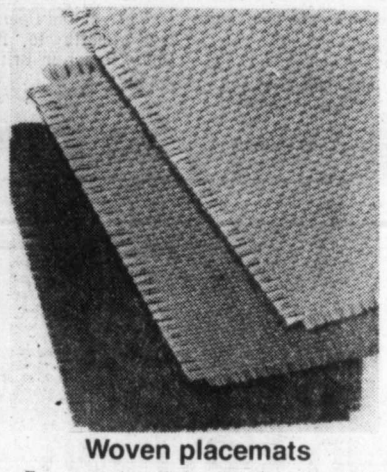

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'Tis the season for bargain-hunting

Post-Christmas shopping fever struck Victorians Wednesday when sale prices went into effect on wrapping paper and trimmings left over from Christmas. Bargain-hunters crowded every shopping centre and downtown, for next year's gift wrap and cards or a hoped-for present that Santa overlooked.

New-look police body

Saanich to overhaul advisory committee

The Saanich police board's ill-fated systems advisory committee will be revamped in an effort to get it back on track, the board decided Wednesday.

The joint committee, formed earlier this year, was to have operated on a one-year trial basis but its usefulness was suspect in the eyes of the police association and it was disbanded a few months later, according to board chairman Mayor Mel Couvelier.

Pressing his argument for the committee to be reactivated, Couvelier said it was essential there be a vehicle to discuss matters of mutual concern to the board and the association.

Personnel director Cleve Tuttle suggested this could be accomplished by establishing a labor-management group which would meet monthly in an attempt to solve problems before they became contentious issues.

"It would be an excellent way of re-establishing goodwill between the two parties," he said.

He warned that the association was not happy with a return to the old committee setup and suggested broadening the committee's terms of reference to include discussions on labor-management relations.

John Pendray, the board's representative on the committee, denied there had been a breakdown of its role.

"It was a useful tool," he said, "but because of the ill-will that prevailed during police negotiations, it was viewed by some people as a poor committee."

Chief Robert Peterson said he missed having a system "whereby we can toss ideas around."

John Tribe said he favored the new approach but did not want to see a "wailing wall" concept introduced which would see labor problems taking the lion's share of an agenda.

In another matter, the board endorsed, subject to B.C. Police Commission approval, expenditure of $18,500 to provide all members of the force with mess dress uniforms.

Police spokesmen told the committee that members were discouraged from attending social functions because they did not possess dress uniforms.

Tribe said he he favored a "morale-booster" for the force.

Plainclothes officers, who receive $400 a year in lieu of uniforms, will have the cost of the new dress uniform—$185—deducted from the allowance.

Pope's envoy arrives

SANTIAGO (Reuter)—A papal envoy, Antonio Cardinal Samore, arrived here Thursday for talks with Chilean officials aimed at avoiding an armed clash between Chile and Argentina over disputed islands at the southern tip of South America.

The two countries last week accepted an offer from Pope John Paul for the Vatican to mediate in the conflict.

Conservation chief named

Ralf Aldrich, a 20-year RCMP veteran and former enforcement specialist with the Ontario natural resources ministry, has been appointed chief conservation officer in the B.C. department of conservation, Environment Minister Rafe Mair announced Thursday.

While with the RCMP, Aldrich was the chief of security services for Canadian embassies abroad. In his new position he will train more than 100 conservation officers to make their field and courtroom work more effective.

Mair said Aldrich would also be involved in reviewing and improving conservation legislation and regulations.

Four hunted in bitter cold

EDMONTON (CP)—Canadian Forces officials continued searching Thursday for a light plane missing between Red Deer and central B.C., as temperatures dropped to near minus 30 degrees.

Four residents of Indian Head, Sask., were aboard the Cessna 185, which disappeared Christmas Eve.

"It's very, very cold out there," said Capt. Don Fish of the Canadian Forces rescue co-ordination centre.

"The cold weather is detrimental to any downed personnel."

Fish said the plane's pilot, Art Underwood, was experienced and would probably have had emergency supplies on the aircraft.

The passengers on the missing aircraft are Chet Talbott, 60, his wife, Betty, 47, and their son Sheldon, 20.

The Cessna, owned by Chieftain Flying Service Ltd. of Indian Head, went missing on a 720-kilometre flight from Red Deer in central Alberta to 108-Mile House Ranch in British Columbia.

The Talbotts were journeying to the ranch for a Christmas holiday visit with their daughter.

Marine Calendar

NAVY

Fundy, Thunder—Vancouver.

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Vancouver, Camsell, Douglas—in port.
Racer, Rider—Sandheads patrol area.
Ready—Comox patrol area.
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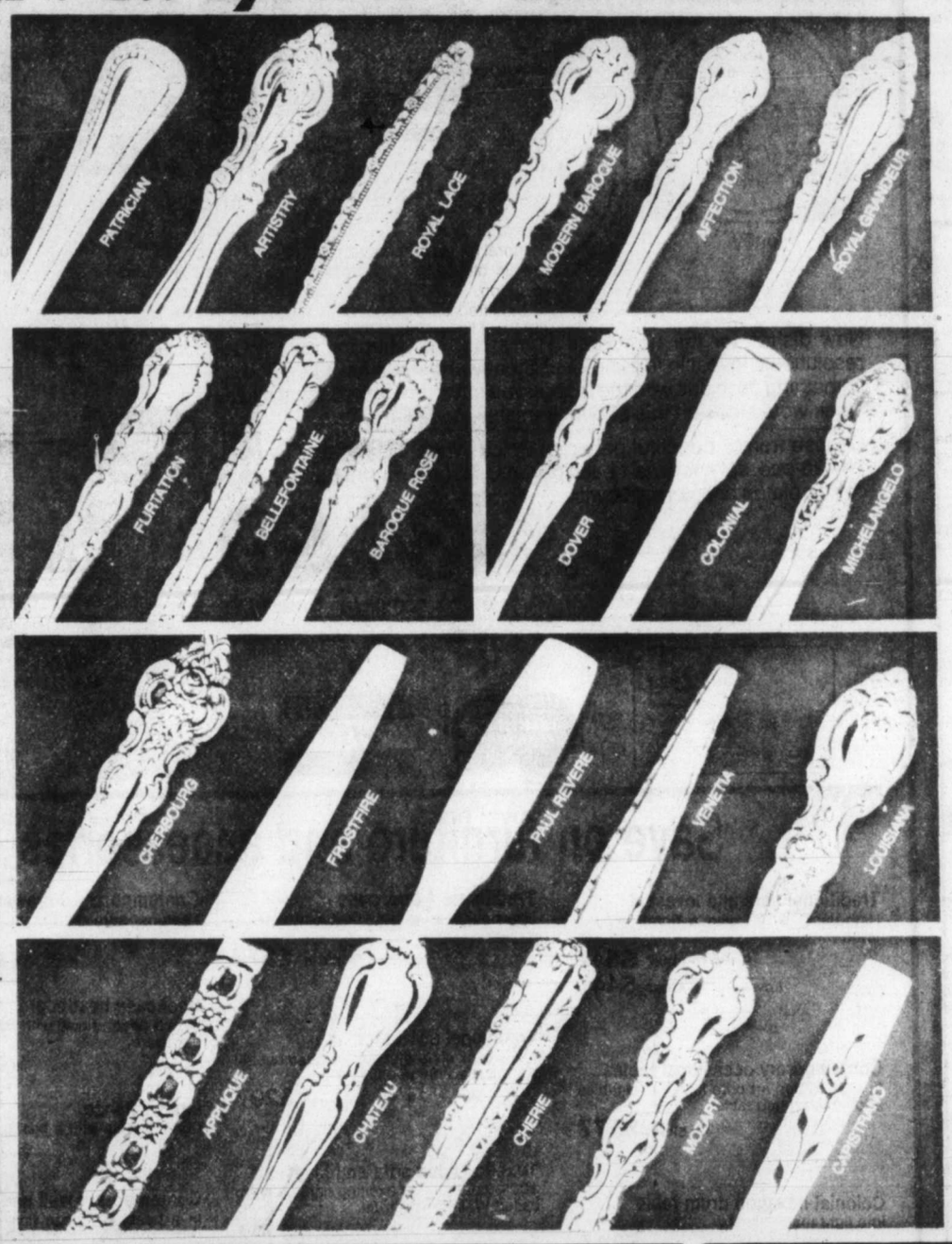

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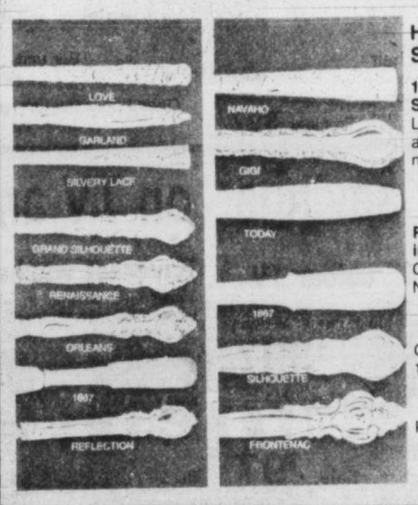

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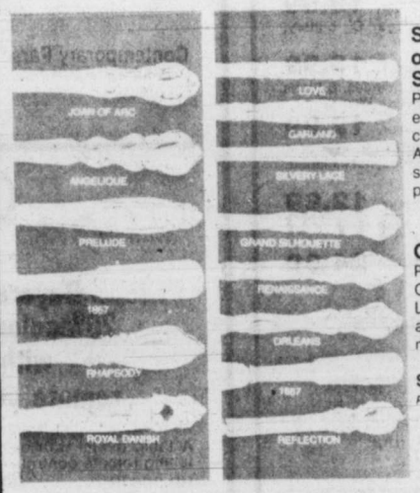

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Minister raps Bell-Irving for unity talk

Canadian Press

Lieutenant-Governor Henry Bell-Irving was accused Thursday of making political statements in his Christmas message to the people of B.C.

Environment Minister Rafe Mair, chairman of the provincial government's committee on Confederation, said he was upset with Bell-Irving for making reference to Quebec separation in his official Christmas Day message.

The lieutenant-governor called on British Columbians to affirm their loyalty to Canada by signing a petition asking the province of Quebec to remain in Confederation.

Mair said the queen's representative should not be making comments on such a sensitive political issue because it was not his role and could be misconstrued as the provincial position.

Wild ride in air hurts 30

MIAMI (UPI)—A Braniff International Airways DC-8 jet carrying 153 people from Panama to Miami Thursday flew into "severe turbulence" as it descended for landing about 115 miles south of here, slightly injuring at least 30 people.

Braniff spokesman Jere Cox said the plane sustained no structural damage, Cox said, and "made a routine landing at Miami." It continued on to New York about two hours later.

Burn death inquest set

Coroner Edmond Jorre de St. Jorre has ordered an inquest in the death of a 63-year-old hospital patient to begin next Thursday night in the small claims courtroom of the Law Courts building.

James Pattullo, of 2745 Eastdowne in Victoria, died Tuesday after a fire at the Memorial Pavilion of the Royal Jubilee Hospital on Dec. 21. He received extensive burns to his body after a cigarette ash ignited his clothing as he sat in a wheelchair in his hospital room bathroom.

He was taken to the Victoria General Hospital's burns unit, where he was in poor condition until his death.

The incident sparked controversy over provincial health ministry budget restraints and health care standards.

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Merry Go-Copter. Colourful train and helicopter set. Uses "C" battery, not included. Was 16.99.
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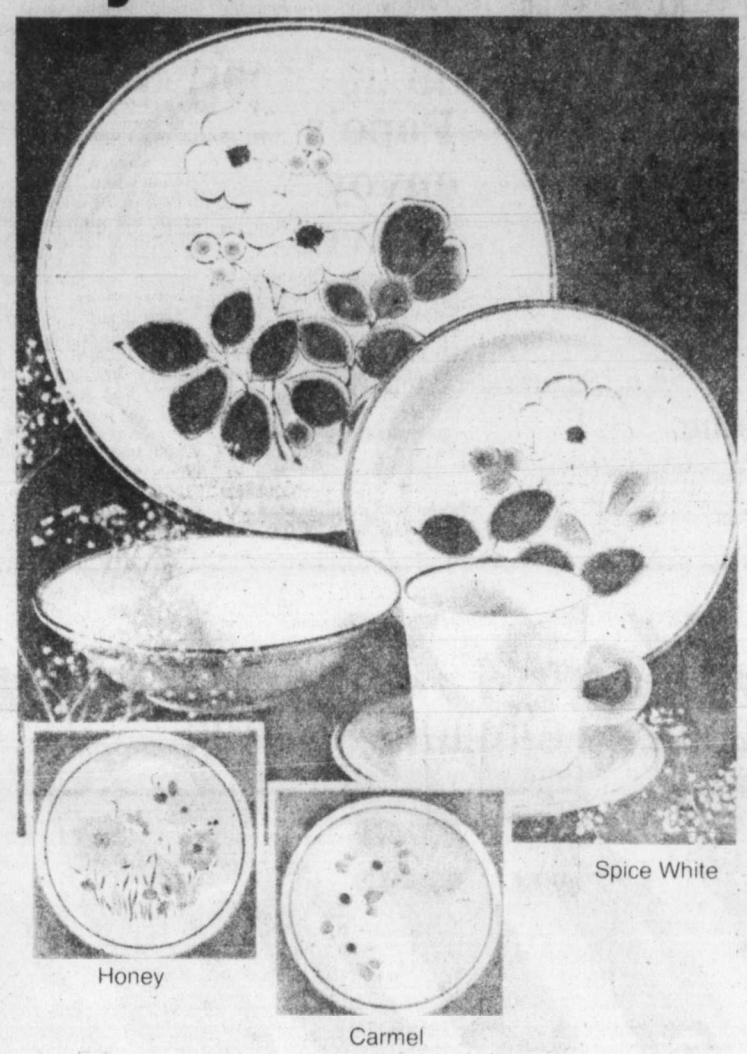

New dishes for the new year. That's a great start for your list of resolutions. Invest in International Stoneware at our low price and do something delicious with the money you save. Think how good a juicy steak would look on this strong, versatile stoneware.

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20-pce. set, **34.99**

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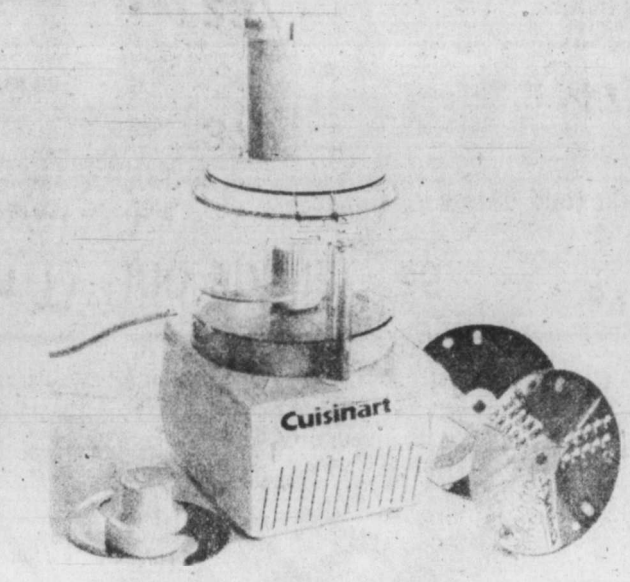

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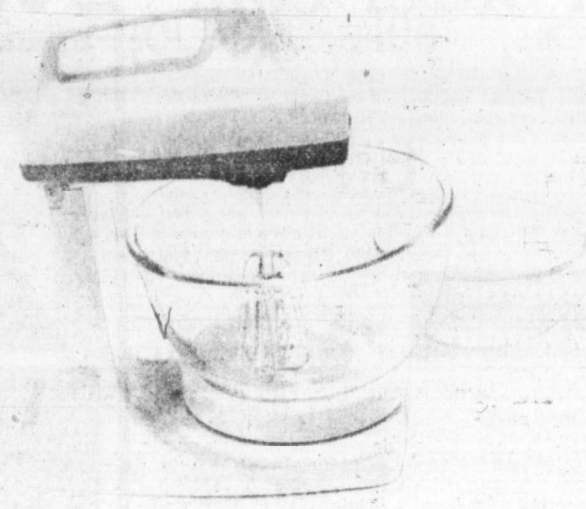

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Premier leaps into fray over MB

'B.C. is not for sale'

Premier Bennett Thursday stepped into the middle of the corporate fight for control of the B.C. forest giant MacMillan Bloedel.

And he did so with the initial promise that he had been assured by all parties involved in the takeover scramble that no corporate control change-overs would take place until principals from Domtar, Canadian Pacific Investments and MB met with the premier during the first week in January.

"British Columbia is not for sale," the premier said.

Following an emergency meeting of the cabinet Thursday morning, which saw several ministers and the premier hastily recalled to Victoria during their Christmas vacations, Bennett said he found both the Domtar and the CPI bids for MB unacceptable.

"I have today talked with the senior executives involved and we have agreed to meet in Vancouver in the first week in January," Bennett said.

Recalled from the ski slopes of Big White near Kelowna, the premier apologized for his blue jeans and shirt and heavy leather boots. "But I consider this a matter of some emergency," he said. "We are concerned over the development of the province.

"I have advised the parties, and I am now advising the public, that I want to talk to all the officials involved and to outline for them what the policies of the province of British Columbia are."

CPI, which already owns 2.8 million of MB's 21.2 million common shares, announced Wednesday that it is seeking to obtain at least 51 per cent of those shares in order to control the company.

The CPI offer followed an offer by Domtar, a Montreal-based company, for control of B.C.'s largest forest industry. In counter moves MB has sought control of Domtar.

Whatever the outcome of those boardroom fights Bennett left no doubt that B.C. did not intend to sit back and be a mere spectator to the struggle.

The premier declined to discuss what his strategy would be when he met with the corporate executives next week but Section 50 of the new B.C. Forest Act

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A downhill day from ski slopes

IT'S NOT EASY BEING PREEM

Things don't always go well for provincial premiers even when they have a government aircraft to fly them to the capital in emergency situations.

Take Premier Bennett, for example.

At 5:30 a.m. Thursday he ambled into the bathroom of his condominium at Big White ski resort near Kelowna. The orders of the day indluded a shave, coffee and a quick run down the mountain to board the government jet for Victoria to handle the Domtar-CP-Macmillan Bloedel takeover crisis.

THE HOT-WATER TANK had frozen during the night.

A quickly boiled kettle of water, a quickie shave, instant coffee gulped and he was behind the wheel of his car.

It wouldn't start. The night had been cold on Big White.

A neighbor, rudely awakened before first light but willing to do his bit for B.C., produced jumper cables and got Bennett's car going. Just to make sure everything was okay, he followed the premier part way down the hill until the trailing vehicle quietly slid into a ditch.

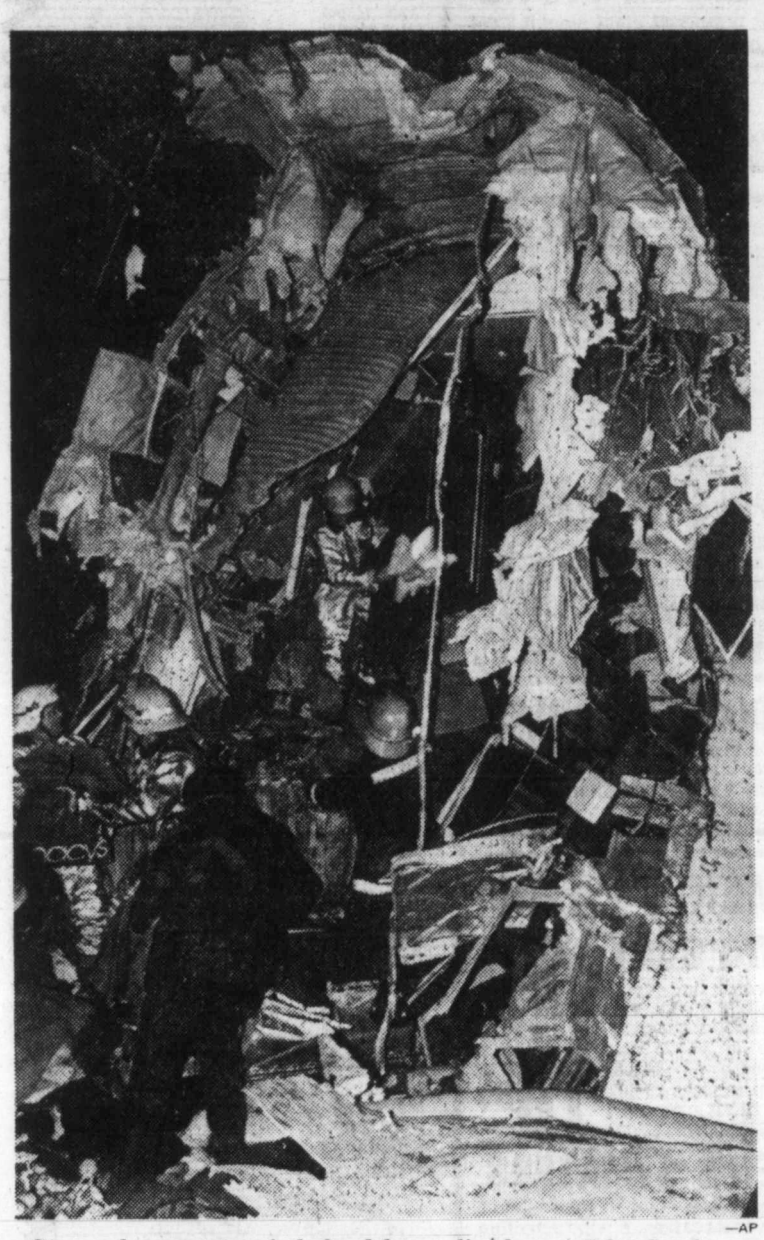
"It was not," said the premier, "an auspicious start to a day which was to end in debate with Ian Sinclair (president of Canadian Pacific)."

THE PROBLEMS WERE not over. By the time the neighbor had been straightened around, the premier's car unfrozen for a second time and the airport reached, the government pilots had decided there was no premier to pick up and had just lifted off the runway.

Recalled by radio, they finally got the premier, blue jeans, blue shirt, winter boots and blue chin lightly powdered for the TV lights, to the press conference theatre at the legislation buildings.

At 4 p.m. the premier held a short cabinet meeting, then headed back for Big White in the hope that the return trip might be as smooth as the inbound trip was fraught with problems.

DC-8 hits Portland street, most of 185 aboard alive



—AP

Stewardess, centre, is helped from sliced-open DC-8 fuselage

Colonist wire services

PORTLAND, Ore.—"Mayday! Mayday! Engines are flaming out! We are going down! We're not going to make the airport!"

These chilling words came from the pilot of a disabled United Airlines DC-8 jetliner Thursday night just moments before the plane carrying 185 persons crashed into a sparsely-populated residential southeast of Portland International Airport.

At least 10 persons, including four children, were killed. Hospitals said more than 50 were injured, five critically. But the majority of the passengers—as well as the pilot and co-pilot—were able to escape the wreckage and wander into nearby homes for help.

The pilot of the plane, Flight 173 from New York and Denver to Portland, circled the area for about 45 minutes with a reported landing gear problem before giving his 'mayday' warning. Emergency crews reached the wreckage within minutes because of the advance notice that the plane was in trouble.

"He did land," said resident of the neighborhood.

The jetliner, which carried 177 passengers, including five infants, and a crew of eight, sheared treetops, cut power lines and demolished two vacant houses before coming to rest in a woods. There was no fire and no panic and the passengers exited quickly from the plane, according to an airport spokesman.

The jet crashed about 6:15 p.m. and knocked out power to about 1,500 homes in the area.

Aims for vacant lots

It appeared that the pilot tried to set the plane down in a strip of vacant lots, 200 metres long and a block wide. The wings and front of the plane—to the fourth or fifth row of the passenger section—were sheared off.

The DC-8 lay crumbled, lodged in a clump of fir trees. Rescue workers clambered through the wreckage and ambulances took victims to hospitals. Firemen said they were looking under the plane for more victims.

Witnesses said the pilot seemed dazed as he walked away from the wreckage.

A stewardess said the plane had been having trouble with the landing gear but they thought it was working when they went in for the landing.

Mary Wheat, 49, who lives

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Boat people plead for food, new life

Colonist wire services

About 5,000 Vietnamese refugees, packed aboard freighters off Manila and Hong Kong, begged Thursday for food, doctors and a chance to start a new life elsewhere.

In Manila, the government of the Philippines appealed to Canada and other Western countries to take more than 2,300 of the refugees aboard the *Tung An*, anchored in Manila Bay.

In Hong Kong, authorities have refused for six days to let 2,700 refugees off the Taiwanese freighter *Huey Fong* because Taiwan, not Hong Kong, was the freighter's next port of call.

As refugees continued to wait it out in sweltering heat aboard the freighters, a representative for the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees said it would take diplomats about a week to find out if their governments are willing to take some of the 5,000.

The refugees are fanatically persistent. Some aboard the *Huey Fong* have threatened suicide if their ship sails off, while refugees were so determined to get on the *Tung An* that 200 are reported to have drowned in a mad scramble for safety on the South China Sea.

The captain of the freighter said Thursday that some of the refugees were seriousy ill and that one went berserk and started biting others.

In a radio interview, *Huey Fong* refugees begged authorities to let the young and old off the ship and asked for doctors to treat the sick.

Tran Le Phan, a 19-year-old Vietamese woman on the *Tung An*, said at least 20 children had died and were buried at sea before the freighter reached Manila Bay. Eight months pregnant, she was one of five persons allowed to leave the ship for medical treatment.

She said she was on the first boat picked up by the *Tung An* on Dec. 6. It was a small craft, carrying 400 people who had chipped in small amounts to escape their homeland.

She said many of the refugees were ethnic Chinese who had been forced to work for meagre wages on farms or in factories after their properties had been confiscated.

Passengers on the ship patted their stomachs to signal they wanted food when correspondents tried unsuccessfully to draw up alongside. The stench of poor hygiene and the ship's rotting

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Did volcanoes spew first seeds of life?

MOSCOW (UPI) — A group of Soviet scientists says volcanoes may have spawned the first living organism that fueled the evolutionary process and created man.

The Tass news agency said Thursday the theory was developed by scientists at the Institute of Volcanology, at the Far Eastern Centre of the Soviet Academy of Sciences.

They found that volcanic ashes contain over 200 complex pre-biological compounds and almost all the main components essential for the existence of a living cell.

"The scientists discovered micro-organisms living in extreme conditions, in a high-temperature and acidic environments, in solutions of suphuric and muriatic acids," Tass said.

'Welfare queen' gets 8 years

COMPTON, Calif. (AP) — Barbara Jean Williams, who drove to her trial in a silver-colored Cadillac, was sentenced to eight years in prison Thursday for collecting $240,000 in welfare funds for more than 70 children.

Superior Court Judge Kenneth Gale imposed the maximum sentence on the 33-year-old woman, saying the offence "is on a par with somebody stealing from the poor box of a church."

Court ruling aids anti-Trident 176

SEATTLE (AP) — A federal judge said Thursday he will let 176 Trident protesters use their argument that the nuclear-missile submarine would be a greater harm than their act of trespassing on the Trident base at Bangor.

However, Francis Diskin, an assistant prosecutor, objected to U.S. District Judge Donald Voorhees' ruling. Diskin had asked the judge to exclude that testimony as irrelevant.

The defendants are charged with illegally re-entering the United States Navy's Trident submarine base at Bangor on Washington's Hood Canal last May 23 after receiving formal letters barring them from the site.

On Wednesday the judge accepted a motion for dismissal of charges against five of the original 181 protesters.

Chaos reigns as Iran's refineries shut down

Colonist wire services

TEHRAN — Iran's strike-plagued oil industry, backbone of the economy, virtually shut down Thursday and new anti-shah rioting raged across the country with reports of dozens of lives taken in the violence.

Anti-American protests continued and in the southern city of Shiraz demonstrators firebombed an Iranian-American cultural centre as Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi's foes demanded the Carter administration withdraw its support from the monarch.

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At least 30 people were reported killed in clashes between anti-shah demonstrators and troops in the southern city of Ahvaz, and three more died in the northwestern city of Qazvin, where rioters attacked a police station.

A ranking Moslem holy man appealed to the thousands of striking oil workers to return to work, but said they should produce only enough fuel for domestic needs. Iranian state radio urged everyone to conserve fuel.

Garbage collection in this city of 4.5 million was being halted as an economy move, and banks throughout the country began closing because of a shortage of bank notes. Cash supplies have been destroyed by fires and delayed by transportation disruptions.

The strike has cost Iran, normally the world's second largest oil producer, about $70 million a day in lost foreign exchange.

Gasoline was rationed and bus service in the capital was halted.

The radio reported anti-shah rioting in several cities that have been the scene of almost continous fighting in recent days.

Troops fired over the heads of several hundred demonstrators who surged through the streets within three blocks of the heavily guarded U.S. embassy compound here. Demonstrators burned cars and buses but the mobs appeared smaller than in recent days, apparently because the Moslem weekend began Thursday. Witnesses said eight to 10 persons were wounded by army gunfire in Tehran.

The worst violence of the day was reported to have occurred in Ahvaz, where an Iranian doctor told Reuter by telephone: "About 30 to 40 people have been killed and more than 15 injured in gunfire."

The doctor said nearly 10 bank branches and the offices of the national airline, Iranair, were also set ablaze.

Oil-industry sources said all of Iran's refineries had shut down, and no petroleum was being refined anywhere in the country. The sources said about 300,000 barrels of crude oil were taken from the ground Thursday but were being stored until the refineries began operating again. Iranian wells normally produce about six million barrels of crude daily.

As many as 180 automobiles were seen lining up at service stations in Tehran. The government has begun limiting customers to 6.6 gallons per stop. The radio said 18 of the city's 108 gasoline statons ran out of fuel

Dealer fined $1,000 for not disclosing all

By KING LEE
Colonist reporter

Speedway Motors Ltd. was convicted in Victoria provincial court Wednesday of a deceptive practice under the Trade Practices Act and was fined $1,000 by Judge Harold Alder.

The car dealership, at 971 Yates, was charged in connection with a 1975 Volkswagen Rabbit sold Feb. 26, 1977, to John Lawford, 306 Bessborough, as a demonstrator model after it had been involved in a serious accident Aug. 17, 1975.

In handing down his judgment, Alder said it was a long and difficult case. He said the Trade Practices Act had been enacted for cases in which actual fraud had not been committed but where there had been some loss caused.

However, Alder said, the act was quite broad and not fully defined. In this case, he said, the Legislature had said that if certain things were done, or in fact not done, then the consumer might have suffered some loss and be entitled to some remedy. The act also gave the crown the right to pursue the matter through criminal prosecution, Alder noted.

Section 2 of the act, Alder said, stated that any disclosure "or non-disclosure, before, during or after" the transaction could be brought into account.

Alder said the evidence indicated Lawford knew the vehicle was a "demo" and that it was a used vehicle.

Had Lawford come right out and asked if the car was in an accident and the answer came out "no," then there would have been no problem in deciding the case, he said.

The judge said the particular vehicle involved was repaired in the dealership's own shop and the fact that it had been in an accident should have been general knowledge.

He ruled that general sales manager Roy Passmore, as chief employee of the company, had knowledge of the fact, and that the company was therefore guilty.

Crown counsel Don Laughton made an application that Passmore also be found guilty of participating in a deceptive practice under Section 25, Subsection 4, of the act, which states that if a corporation is found guilty of a charge, every director or officer can be found guilty personally or anyone who authorized, permitted or acquiesced can also be found guilty.

Alder denied the application and agreed with defence lawyer Michael Hutchison that if the crown wanted to lay a charge against Passmore, it should do so. But, Hutchison argued, Passmore had the right to a defence and no person in this country could be convicted without the right to a trial.

In his summation, Hutchison said the legislation provided for two avenues of remedy, civil and quasi-criminal. By proceeding by the second method, he said, the consumer was left with no relief in this case and he charged that the crown had, in effect, abandoned the consumer.

Hutchison also questioned the motive of the provincial consumer affairs branch, which laid the charge and accused Laughton of "grandstanding" by embarking on a price comparison between Speedway Motors and Douglas Volkswagen on Nov. 22. Hutchison noted that the prices of only four vehicles were referred to, without any consideration for such factors as mileage.

He also noted that the act gave no definition of a demonstrator and that no such definition came out until June of last year, after this case had been opened, and then a circular was sent out stating that the definitions were not legally binding.

In this case, Hutchison said, the occurrence was one of non-disclosure, but there was no intent by Speedway to conceal any facts.

He said the damage already done by publicity of the case could never be recovered.

Before announcing the amount of the fine, Alder said he noted the company's "longstanding good standing in this city."

Cuts hit

Burns kill elderly patient

An elderly patient whose mishap in Memorial Pavilion at Royal Jubilee Hospital a week ago sparked renewed questions about budget cuts and health care standards, died Tuesday night in Victoria General Hospital.

James Pattullo had been in poor condition since his removal from the pavilion to the Victoria General burns unit.

Pavilion employees, saying they were disobeying the orders of superiors at Jubilee in disclosing details, told the *Colonist* last week that Pattullo had apparently set his clothing afire accidentally while smoking in a washroom. They said he was rescued by an orderly who noticed smoke.

One employee in particular said the reason for telling the story was to emphasize the effect provincial government budget restraints were having on staffing and hospital care. Her story, verified by others, followed by a matter of weeks an advertising campaign by the Jubilee medical staff to tell the public about what it considered deterioration of health care.

The 21,500-member Hospital Employees' Union warned that the problem was province-wide and that hospitals in general were forecasting a 10-per-cent staff cut to stay under the five-per-cent ceiling Health Minister Robert McClelland seton budget increases this year. Some hospitals might revolt against the restriction, the union said.

Pavilion employees said the shrinking of staff there had come about through failure to replace employees moving to new positions.

One employee noted that Pattullo was burned at midday when there was more staff on duty. Had the accident occurred late at night, when there were sometimes only two employees in a ward housing war veterans and other long-term patients, it might have gone undetected for some time, the employee said.

Michael Fraser, associate director of Jubilee, said staffing of the former veterans' hospital was in keeping with the standards set for extended-care units in the province. Long-term patients did not require as much personal care.

Clash deaths up in Spain

MADRID (AP) — Three times as many people have been killed in political violence in Spain this year than in 1977, police figures show. By Wednesday, 97 persons had been killed, compared with 30 last year, police said.

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Zoning by mail

CAMPBELL RIVER — The over-all zoning plan for Campbell River area is to be mailed out with a questionnaire from council to give the public a chance to provide input on the shape of things to come in the town.

Council decided to go ahead with a recommendation from the planning committee that the plan and questionnaire be mailed out, also that the plans and questionnaire be published in the local newspapers and suitable areas set up for distribution.

Living with cancer mapped

CUMBERLAND — *Living-with-cancer* sessions will begin at the Diagnostic and Treatment Centre here in January of 1979.

Two nursing staff members along with a doctor from the cancer control agency, as well as nursing director Mrs. C. Tanner, have been planning the program.

Living with cancer is a support group made up of cancer patients, their family and friends, where they can share experienes and emotions as they live with cancer.

Professional group leaders will chair each session and plans call for experts in the various fields of cancer, to speak at special information sessions to be held every other month.

Two staff nurses, June Mjolsness and Jean Morrice, have attended a two-day teaching seminar in Vancouver to help them prepare to be group leaders.

In addition to the new sessions, between 50 and 70 people attend a monthly cancer clinic at the centre.

—Donna Reimer photo

Racing to the rescue

Among most familiar sights along B.C. coast are Canadian Coast Guard cutter Racer and helicopter from 442 Transport and Rescue Squadron in Comox. These craft have proved invaluable for rescue missions during past year and in years gone by, saving countless lives along busy coast of British Columbia, particulary during summer months when fishermen are out in full force.

Inn plans extension

QUALICUM BEACH — A major extension is being planned for the Qualicum College Inn. One wing was added in 1972 on the west end of the main building and now it is proposed to add a matching wing on the other end. Also included in the plans is a third wing extending out behind the building.

The hotel is located in a residentially zoned area and is therefore nonconforming. Owners Mike Dyde and Kerry Keilty, who is also manager, will be asking the village council in January for permission to go ahead with the expansion. Keilty is not sure what procedure can be adopted. A land use contract was obtained for the first expansion but due to a change in the Municipal Act land use contracts can no longer be made.

One new wing will contain 28 additional guest rooms and the other new wing at the rear will have a dining room upstairs with large glass windows. Keilty said diners will have beautiful views of the sea and the sunsets. He said the new dining room will be essential to accommodate the extra guests. Rooms for seminars and workshops will occupy most of the lower level of the wing. Keilty said the rooms will be suitable for 30 to 80 people and will have the most up to date audio visual equipment.

The hotel has a swimming pool and the owners experimented with plastic bubbles to extend its use into the colder months. the bubbles, however, were unsatisfactory. Keilty said a pool is a necessary amenity.

A building is in the final stages of construction. In summer there will be just a roof supported on columns. At other times of the year the space between the columns will be filled with cedar walls and windows, and the enclosure will be heated.

Owners of the inn have purchased the parcel of land between the hotel and the Island Highway. They propose building a large parking lot at the western end and screening it from the road. At present, hotel patrons park their cars on the road in front of the hotel.

Dyde has made a model of the College Inn with its proposed expansions and has invited residents to see it and offer opinions. Keilty estimates the cost of the expansion at about three quarters of a million dollars.

The original building is a well known landmark in Qualicum. It was built in the 1930s and was the home of a boys' boarding school for 30 years with Ivan Knight as headmaster. The College Inn retains many of the pictures and memorabilia of the former school.

Long-term care: Long wait

By DONNA REIMER
Colonist Correspondent

NANAIMO — There are almost 500 older people in the Central Vancouver Island Health Unit waiting for long-term-care beds.

And although 420 beds are on the drawing boards for the health unit, getting those beds into operation is a long, slow process.

Mrs. Jean Paavilainen, long-term care administrator for the health unit, said that the shortage of beds is placing a strain on spouses and families of elderly people, and also on the acute care beds in hospitals in the area.

The health unit is using several methods of coping with the overflow of the waiting lists while waiting for new facilities to come into being.

Dr. P. J. Reynolds, head of the health unit, said that there is a great need for intermediate and personal care beds in the area.

These facilities are really more of a home than a hospital, he said, and the provincial government began its long-term care project in January of this year to provide that care.

The program, said Mrs. Paavilainen, aims to provide services for the eligible residents of B.C. with long-term health-related problems, to enable them to live as independently as possible within the community.

These services might take the form of home support services, or facilities services, such as intermediate and personal care.

Home support services are provided by the Homemakers Service and home nursing care. The home support services are also being gradually broadened to include social workers, nutritionists and physical therapists.

In the health unit, which extends from the middle of the Malahat to Deep Bay and west to Tofino, there are about 13,000 people 65 and over.

In a health unit population of 141,000, this means an elderly population of nine per cent — far above the national average of six or seven per cent.

In prime retirement areas such as Parksville-Qualicum, that percentage soars to 18 per cent.

The waiting list for long-term care far exceeds the available spaces. In Nanaimo alone, there is a waiting list of 300 for the already-filled 190 beds.

"I have waiting lists dating back to 1976," Mrs. Paavilainen said.

But there is hope in the future, although it may be a long, slow time in coming, she added.

There are 100 new beds approved for Duncan, 150 for Nanaimo, 65 for Port Alberni and 105 for Parksville-Qualicum.

"These are all approved beds and societies are working on getting those beds built. But, they've been working very, very hard for a very long time."

In Duncan, for instance, she said, the society has been active on the project since 1975. They are just now to the stage of acquiring a site and getting engineering surveys done. Plans can take three to nine months to be approved by the various agencies.

What has caused delay in getting projects on the road?

Mrs. Paavilainen lists changes in government, changes in policy, federal-provincial cost-sharing and local factors.

Because the projects cost $1 to $2 million of the taxpayers' money, she said, they are looked at very carefully as they are processed through the government.

In the meantime, while waiting for new beds to come on stream, the health unit has been placing increasing stress on home support services.

Another avenue open to the unit is family home care. During the past year, 10 homes in the area have been approved for this type of care, which places one or two elderly people in a private home.

The pay for this type of care is the same as for other long-term care beds, and the situation, with the right family, may be close to ideal. The patient receives the care he or she needs while enjoying the companionship of a family.

Mrs. Paavilainen sees this type of care as a way of freeing the larger facilities for patients who needs more intensive care.

"I'm always on the lookout for people interested in this possibility."

Long-term care will not be needed by all of our senior citizens, Mrs. Paavilainen said. Health unit officials expect that only 15 per cent of the over-65 population will need such care. And, of that 15 per cent, many may need only one or two visits a month from a homemaker.

And there are also younger people with chronic health problems in the program, she said.

Most common health problems which cause a person to need long-term care are arthritis, heart disease and high blood pressure. Also needing help are older diabetics and people with multiple sclerosis.

One of the offshoots of the program in B.C. has been to discover how many people there are with multiple sclerosis, Mrs. Paavilainen said.

A person in long-term care pays $6.50 a day. This $200-a- month charge leaves people on old age pension about $50 to $60 a month for personal necessities, with all room, board and care provided by the facility they are in.

The health unit is also involved in licensing the facilities. Only two of the long-term care facilities in the health unit are now non-profit, although all of the new ones planned will be run by non-profit societies.

Mrs. Paavilainen said that the existing facilities in the unit have been constantly improving, because of the attention paid to licensing and through changes such as closure, sale and renovation of existing facilities.

But while what facilities are available are good, the health unit is probably the worst off in the province in terms of numbers of beds, she said.

Whooping cranes also fine film subjects

Movie about wolves shatters many myths

By JOHN LANGTON
Colonist Correspondent

QUALICUM BEACH — Whooping cranes and wolves were the topics of two movies shown recently to the Qualicum Beach Movies Society. Whooping cranes are beautiful birds standing four feet tall and having a wingspan as much as eight feet across.

Biologists are sparing no effort in an attempt to conserve this species which in 1976 was down to 100 birds.

With the advent of the white man, wolves have largely been wiped out in many parts of North America. *Death of a Legend* shows that wolves are not as blood-thirsty or as dangerous to man as was formerly thought. It is stated there is only one authenticated case of a wolf attacking a man on this continent.

Early settlers in Canada were terrified of wolves. For many decades men have considered wolves to be a menace to their livestock and to be a danger to themselves. Wolves had a reputation of being bloodthirsty, killing for the sake of killing. Bounties have been put on wolves and packs of wolves that used to roam North America have been decimated, or wiped out completely in many areas. Not many Canadians have heard the howl of a wolf, or seen one outside a zoo.

Death of a Legend was made by the National Film Board for the Canadian Wildlife Service. The film shows the reputation that wolves have acquired and the work that is now being done to study the packs and learn of their lifestyles.

The movie sets out to explode the myth of a bloodthirsty animal. A pack of wolves studied on Isle Royal in northern Canada was found to kill only two animals a week on the average, and this provided them with sufficient food.

The movie showed wolves form a very important link in the balance of nature. Biologists have studied animals killed by wolves and they have found they killed only those animals which are old or diseased or starving and could not outrun their predators.

Healthy animals can protect themselves against wolves or easily outpace them. One scene showed a bull moose confront a pack of wolves. The commentator said the wolves know better than to get near the hooves of the enormous animal that could kick them to pieces. He said a bull moose can weigh up to 2,000 pounds and is the most powerful animal in North America.

Other scenes showed wolves among grazing caribou, with the caribou apparently taking little notice. However, if a wolf attempted to attack, the herd quickly left the marauders behind.

More than 30 years ago there was a very severe winter and Isle Royal, an Island in the Canadian northland, was joined to the mainland by an ice bridge. This enabled wolves to get onto the island and when the ice melted, they were marooned there along with herds of cariboo. This made a natural laboratory where biologists have been studying wolves.

Part of *Death of a Legend* was shot on Isle Royal. There is an amazing scene in which a mother gives birth to a litter of pups in the den she had dug out of the side of a hill. The commentator said wolves make the ideal parents in the animal world. The male takes meat to the nursing mother and he has endless patience with the playful pups.

Wolf packs have a very definite class structure with the dominant male and female which can be distinguished by their tails which they hold on high. The rest of the wolves are arranged in descending rank.

When the wolves make a kill, the pack stands by while the dominant pair eat their fill. Afterward the rest have their turn.

Wolves keep their numbers down to be compatible with the size of their territory. Biologists are not altogether sure how they achieve this. On Isle Royal only the dominant pair mate and they prevent other wolves in the pack from copulating. The numbers of wolves in the paak on the island remain constant from year to year and biologists have not found the fate of the wolves that die each year.

The biologists discovered many of the young pups would never survive to maturity. A litter may have any number up to 10 pups.

When white men settled in Canada they killed off enormous numbers of whooping cranes. In 1935, there were very few left and biologists were concerned so they made an all-out effort to protect the huge birds. It was a mysterious bird and little was known about it.

The cranes spent the winters in Texas then migrated north over the prairies of the States and Canada, then they disappeared. A search for their summer breeding grounds went on for years.

Eventually a helicopter on some other mission, flew over nesting whooping cranes in Wood Buffalo national park in the Northwest Territories. The commentator said this is one the most remote parks in the world.

Whooping cranes take seven or eight years to reach maturity and attempts to get the only two captive cranes to reproduce met with little success. The lone chick died shortly after hatching.

When biologists studied whooping cranes at the nesting grounds, they realized each pair of mating birds would have two eggs and usually only one chick would survive. After careful consideration they decided to remove one egg from each nest a couple of days before hatching time.

The eggs were put in insulated cases and flown to the U.S. where they were incubated until they hatched. An inborn instinct known as imprinting is very strong in birds. It is through imprinting that chicks will follow their mother. If a man takes over from the mother the chicks will follow him, and when they reach sexual maturity they will look on the man as a sex partner and not another bird.

Biologists did not want incorrect imprinting of the whooping crane chicks to occur, so the chicks were raised in isolation from man. The biologists observed the chicks' progress through peep holes in the sides of the cage. The results were not too satisfactory so the biologists worked out another plan.

Another summer they returned to Wood Buffalo national park and removed more eggs. These were flown south and substituted for eggs in Sandhill cranes' nests. These birds are closely related to whooping cranes. The foster parents hatched the eggs and tended the chicks, although they had some surprises. When a sandhill crane is alarmed it takes to the hills whereas a whooping crane heads for the water. This mystified the foster parents.

As it takes eight years for a whooping crane to reach sexual maturity, biologists will not know until 1980 if their experiment with making sandhill cranes foster parents was successful.

The Qualicum Beach Film Society has movies each Wednesday evening in the village theatre. Members select films they would like to see and the public is welcome to attend the showings commencing at 8 p.m. There are documentary movies as well as others.

curling

jim tang

CURLING ETIQUETTE hasn't been getting the attention it deserves. Part of the reason some is needed is because there are many new curlers and many of them either haven't bothered to find out about it or haven't been instructed, but it also happens often that more experienced rock-throwers aren't setting an example. In any event, it has been suggested that attention be drawn to some behaviour basics. They are offered in no particular order but here are a few that particularly need some notice:

— Be ready to play when your turn comes. If every curler takes even 10 seconds longer than needed to play a rock it adds about 25 minutes to the length of each game;

— Do not cross the sheet after an opposing player has settled into the hack, and make certain that when his skip's broom is placed in the outer ring that you are not bothering him by being too close to the intended path of the rock;

— Leads and seconds are to remain between hog lines except when delivering or sweeping a rock, and they can sweep only as far as the tee line;

— Skips and vice-skips watching from behind the tee line when opponent is delivering a rock should keep brooms horizontal or out of sight and make no movement after opponent is in the hack;

— An opponent's rock can be swept only by skip or vice-skip unless there is an agreed-upon change, and NOT until it has crossed the tee line. "Warming up" the ice as the rock nears the tee line looks worse than the violation it is;

— When you aren't delivering or sweeping a rock, keep your attention on your own game. Not only is it possible to learn something from watching opponents' rocks but lack of interest in your own proceedings isn't good for rink morale;

— Never say "Thank you" or words to that effect to an opponent, particularly a skip, who has just missed a crucial shot. It is bad manners of the worst sort, a condescending, boorish flippancy which isn't likely to be accepted as humor.

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STRATHCONA CUP competition isn't going to be quite the same without Colin Campbell, who died Monday only a week before he was due to leave for Scotland as the non-playing captain of the 35 Canadian curlers who will take part in the 1979 renewal of a trophy competition which began in 1909.

A past president of the Canadian Curling Association and the only president the International Curling Federation has had since being formed in 1967, Campbell was a long-time Brier trustee who was known to practically every Brier curler and reporter. But as much as the Canadian men's championship meant to him, it may have been true that he he enjoyed even more the competition for the Strathcona Cup.

Up until now, it had been played for every five years with Canada and Scotland alternating as the host country. The Scots toured Canada in 1975 and the next competition was due in 1980, but the reason for moving it up a year is probably to celebrate its 70th anniversary.

The Canadian team, which includes Elmer and Curtis Hoffman of Victoria and Blake Barker and John McLean of Vancouver, is scheduled to leave Toronto on New Year's Day and to return on Jan. 27. There are visits to Perth, Edinburgh, Kinross, Aviemore, Inverness, Aberdeen, Dundee, Ayr, Glasgow, Kelso, Kirkcaldy, Lockerbie, Stranraer, Irvine and Hamilton. But while only 24 of the visitors will see action at each stop, it is a safe assumption that Scottish hospitality will make 10 extra curlers not nearly enough.

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LESS THAN A WEEK remains before the Jan. 5 deadline for area Consols entries but while upwards of 20 rinks are expected, as of Thursday afternoon only Gary Leibel (Bud Taylor, Dave Smith, Arnie Sundstrom), Steve Skillings (Murray Walker, Rob Cummings, Kim Browning), Pete Jonsson (Bill Abbott, Dave Langridge, Cliff Newman), Jim Fennell (Jack McBeath, Ken Wardell, Dave Skipsey) and Dick Austin (Dave Hay, Ray Burley, Gerry Lister) had made entry.

It is different in the north Island zone, where clubs are allowed one rink in the double-knockout final for every two sheets of ice. Preliminary club playdowns will be needed in Nanaimo, where Terry West, Archie McIntosh, Charlie Chapin, Gary McDevitt and Jack Taylor have already decided to try for the four available spots, and in Duncan, where there is a major change in that veterans Glen Harper and Vern Kaspick will be rivals. Harper, trying for a third trip to the Brier, will call shots for Gwynn Hughes, Bert Oud and son-in-law Jim Barrett while Kaspick, also after a third Purple Heart but his first as a skip, will challenge with Howie Valleau, Doug Belton and Hugh Williams. Also trying for the three Duncan spots in the north Island finale are rinks skipped by Gary Wright, Denis Heppelle and Steve Williams.

Entered from other clubs are Ralph Boyd and George Ziolkowski of Campbell River, Fred Duncan, Joe Cyr and Ivan Carlisle of Port Alberni, Marvin Clarke of Port Alice and Len Luoma of Holberg.

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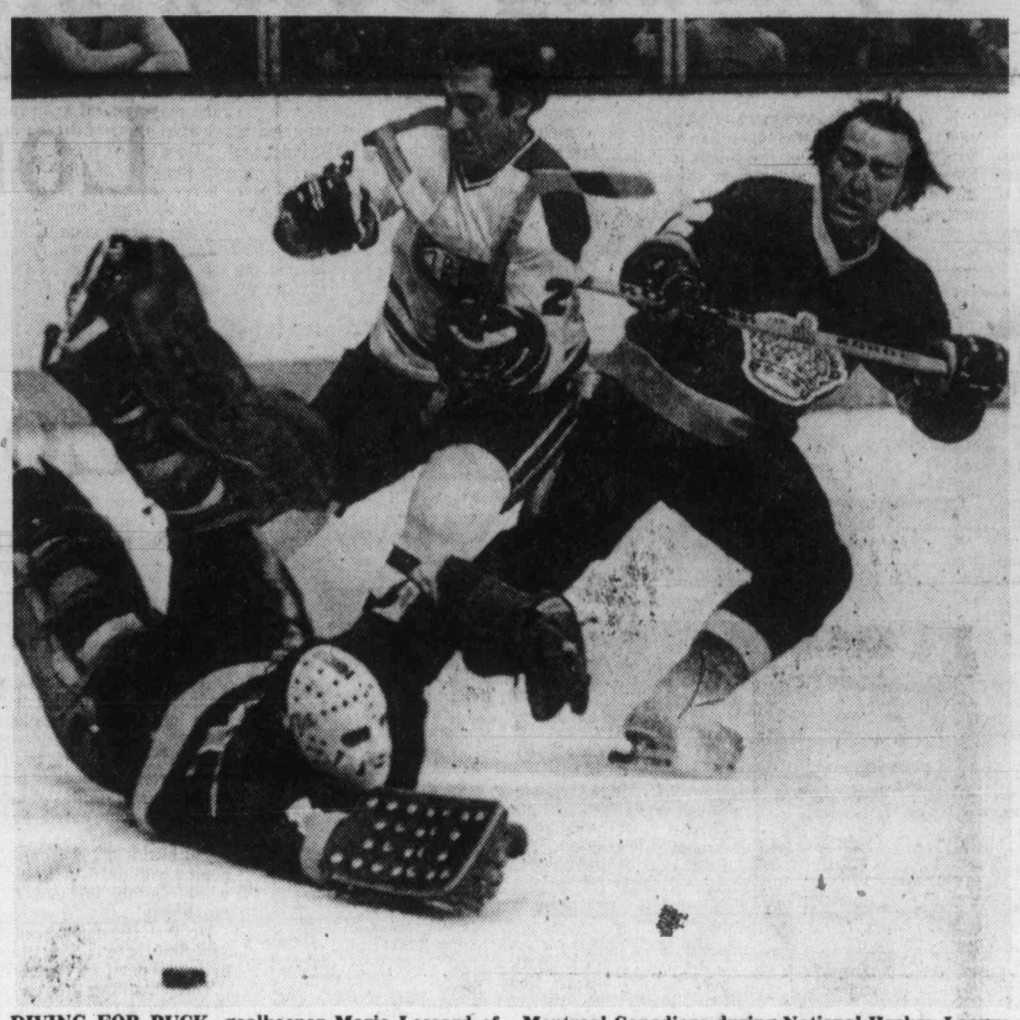
GLEN PIERCE, already in the Pacific Coast Curling Association Consols final because of winning the Totem bonspiel, added to his laurels by winning the first half in the Vancouver Super League. Pierce, who has former-Consols skip Wayne Matthewson as vice-skip and Fuji Miki and Bruce Davey, who played for Gerry Martin last season, on the front end, has obviously put together a potent combination and this could be the season he finally gets that Purple Heart.

Second place in the Vancouver Super League was won by B.C.-champion Bernie Sparkes, who has a knee problem but is planning on defending his title. Sparkes, who has his championship rink of Ron Thompson, Al Cook and Keavin Bauer intact with Bauer getting transferred back to Vancouver about a month ago, defeated Martin in a playoff. Glen Hillson, who did so well in that $60,000 Edmonton cashspiel, and Al Moore finished on the bottom of the 10-team league and were replaced for the second half.

Trottier maintains sizzling pace

Canucks nab tie



DIVING FOR PUCK, goalkeeper Mario Lessard of Los Angeles sprawls on ice Thursday as Kings' defenceman Randy Manery ties up Bob Gainey of Montreal Canadiens during National Hockey League action in Montreal. Canadiens rallied for 3-3 tie with Norris Division rivals.

If New York Islanders are, as goalkeeper Glenn Resch claims, now the best team in the National Hockey League it's mainly because they have the matcher to Guy Lafleur in Bryan Trottier.

The 22-year-old all-star centre, who trailed scoring-champion Lafleur by nine points (132-123) last season, is on the hottest streak of his four-season NHL career and after his Thursday night binge, is even with Lafleur with two games in hand.

Trottier, who has had at least one point in 15 consecutive games, made it 17 points for his last eight games by scoring his 26th goal and drawing four assists in a 10-4 Atlanta rout of the Flames.

Meanwhile, Lafleur barely avoided being passed, getting his 59th point with his 24th goal as Montreal Canadiens came from 0-3 to gain a 3-3 tie with Los Angeles Kings.

In other Thursday games, Vancouver Canucks lost 2-0 and 3-2 leads but turned in a fine effort to go 3-3 on home ice with Buffalo Sabres and Philadelphia Flyers outlasted New York Rangers 6-5.

Trottier set up the 2-0 first period for Islanders with a goal and an assist, and with the Flames proving stubborn in the second period as they rallied to 2-2 and then 3-4, Trottier set up Mike Bossy for his second and third goals of the period. The Islanders were 9-3 before the Flames got their last goal.

Bossy's three goals gave him 28 for the season and the league lead, two ahead of Trottier.

Canadiens, who lost leftwinger Steve Shutt Wednesday with a hairline fracture of a wrist, had trouble in extending their unbeaten streak to 14 games. Los Angeles penalty-killers held them to a single shot on each of two power-play chances early in the second period, and it wasn't until the game was in its 31st minute that Bob Gainey got a puck past Mario Lessard. Lafleur got the score to 2-3 less than three minutes later and Mario Tremblay was responsible for the 3-3 goal, which came at 6:45 of the third period.

In Vancouver, where 16,413 fans helped inspire them, the Canucks survived a five-minute Buffalo power-play in a scoreless first period, then struck in the second period for power-play goals 73 seconds apart. Ron Sedlbauer opened the scoring with his 24th goal and Don Lever's 10th scoring shot of the season doubled the margin.

Then the Canucks helped turn things the other way, defenceman Randy Holt taking a bad penalty and the Sabres cashing in on the power-play chance through Danny Gare.

Gare, the Buffalo captain and team leader, also figured on the other two Buffalo goals.

He was injured early in the third period when struck by Jere Gillis' stick, and while the Sabres didn't click on the resulting power-play, they gained the momentum which enabled Ric Seiling to pot the 2-2 goal 14 seconds after Gillis left the penalty box. Thomas Gradin put Canucks ahead again, but Gare came out of the dressing room to get the tie for his club.

In Philadelphia, Rangers scored the first goal, came from behind three times to tie and lost because they managed only two goals on 17 third-period shots. Bobby Clarke and the resurgent Reg Leach both scored twice for the Flyers but it was muscleman Paul Holmgren who broke the 5-5 tie. He did it with less than four minutes remaining by circling the net before stuffing the puck backhanded between Doug Soetaert's legs

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Norris Division	G	W	L	T	F	A	P
Montreal	36	25	6	5	149	89	55
Pittsburgh	35	13	15	7	125	124	33
Los Angeles	34	13	15	6	127	117	32
Detroit	37	8	18	11	112	132	27
Washington	36	8	22	6	105	166	22
Adams Division							
Boston	35	23	5	7	151	106	53
Buffalo	36	15	12	9	120	111	39
Toronto	38	17	16	5	126	119	39
Minnesota	34	14	17	3	110	117	31
Patrick Division							
NY Islanders	34	23	4	7	169	95	53
Philadelphia	37	19	12	6	125	107	44
NY Rangers	35	19	12	4	141	114	42
Atlanta	37	19	15	3	150	133	41
Smythe Division							
Chicago	34	12	15	7	103	124	31
Vancouver	36	13	20	3	116	139	29
St. Louis	38	7	26	5	108	179	19
Colorado	36	6	24	6	96	154	18

Saturday Games

Atlanta at NY Islanders (aft)
NY Rangers at Chicago
Philadelphia at St. Louis
Boston at Montreal
Washington at Toronto
Detroit at Pittsburgh
Vancouver at Los Angeles
Minnesota at Colorado

BUFFALO 3, VANCOUVER 3
First Period

No scoring.
Penalties— Seiling Buf 7:16, McIlhargey Vcr major 12:54, Stewart Buf 20:00.

Second Period

1. Vancouver, Sedlbauer 24 (Manno, Eriksson) 13:08
2. Vancouver, Lever 10 (Smyl, Kearns) 14:21
3. Buffalo, Gare 11 (R. Martin, Perreault) 18:35

Penalties— Perreault Buf, Oddleifson Vcr 5:23, Gare Buf double minor, Snepsts Vcr 11:14, Stewart Buf 11:46, Holt Vcr 17:59.

Third Period

4. Buffalo, Seiling 7 (Schoenfeld, Ramsay) 3:09
5. Vancouver, Gradin 12 (Smyl, Holt) 9:33
6. Buffalo, Gare 12 (Ramsay, Stewart) 11:37

Penalty—Gillis Vcr 0:55.

Shots on goal by

Buffalo	10	7	7	—24
Vancouver	8	14	5	—27

Goal—Sauve, Buffalo; Hanlon, Vancouver.
Attendance—16,413

LOS ANGELES 3, MONTREAL 3
First Period

1. Los Angeles, Jensen 8 (Goring, Hampton) 9:31
2. Los Angeles, Jensen 9 (Goring) 11:39

Penalties—None.

Second Period

3. Los Angeles, Dionne 24 (Taylor, Manery) 8:16
4. Montreal, Gainey 8 (Houle, Larouche) 10:10
5. Montreal, Lafleur 24 (Hughes, Napier) 13:06

Penalties—Palmer LA 1:17, B. Wilson LA 5:01

Third Period

6. Montreal, Tremblay 12 (Lambert, Chartraw) 6:45

Penalties—B. Wilson LA, Engblom Mtl majors 11:01, Robinson Mtl 12:04.

Shots on goal by

Los Angeles	11	4	11	—26
Montreal	5	17	8	—31

Goal—Lessard, Los Angeles; Larocque, Montreal.
Attendance—17,153.

SCORING LEADERS

	G	A	P
Trottier, NYI	26	33	59
Lafleur, Mtl	24	35	59
MacMillan, Atl	16	38	54
Chouinard, Atl	24	28	52
Dionne, LA	24	26	50
Bossy, NYI	28	21	49
Federko, StL	13	35	48
Potvin, NYI	15	31	46
Middleton, Bos	16	29	45
Gillies, NYI	13	32	45
Lysiak, Atl	18	25	43
McNab, Bos	20	22	42
Sittler, Tor	19	23	42

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NY ISLANDERS 10, ATLANTA 4
First Period

1. NY Islanders, Potvin 15 (Trottier, Persson) 6:55
2. NY Islanders Trottier 26 (Bossy, Gillies) 16:55

Penalties—Plett Atl 6:10, Bourne NYI 12:27.

Second Period

3. Atlanta, Chouinard 23 (MacMillan, Ribble) 3:38
4. Atlanta, Chouinard 24 (MacMillan, Pronovost) 5:20
5. NY Islanders, Bossy 26 (Potvin, Persson) 11:43
6. NY Islanders, Bourne 12 (Kaszycki) 12:20
7. Atlanta, Plett 11 (Lalonde, Fox) 12:37
8. NY Islanders, Bossy 27 (Trottier, Gillies) 15:37
9. NY Islanders, Bossy 28 (Trottier, Persson) 18:25

Penalties—Lorimer NYI 3:43, Plett Atl 6:56, Lorimer NYI 9:23, Vail Atl 10:02, Plett Atl 18:09.

Third Period

10. NY Islanders, Gillies 13 (Trottier, Lewis) 0:22
11. NY Islanders, Tonelli 10 (Lewis, Harris) 6:36
12. NY Islanders, Merrick 5 (Harris, Tonelli) 7:07
13. Atlanta, Pronovost 14 (Marsh, Lysiak) 16:36
14. NY Islanders, Merrick 6 (Howatt) 18:53

Penalty—Smith NYI (served by Bossy) 7:15.

Shots on goal by

NY Islanders	11	10	9	—30
Atlanta	9	7	12	—28

Goal—Smith, NY Islanders; Bouchard, Belanger, Atlanta.
Attendance—12,377.

NY RANGERS 5, PHILA. 6
First Period

1. NY Rangers, Hickey 18 (Hedberg, Nilsson) 7:20
2. Philadelphia, MacLeish 15 (McCarthy, Dunlop) 10:03
3. Philadelphia, Clarke 8 12:06
4. Philadelphia, Leach 16 (Barber) 12:26

Penalties—Bridgman Pha, DeBlois NYR majors 3:36, McCarthy Pha 16:35.

Second Period

5. NY Rangers, Nilsson 12 (Hedberg, Hickey) 4:29
6. NY Rangers, Greschner 14 (DeBlois, Vickers) 9:56

Penalties—Dupont Pha 0:43, Esposito NYR, Clarke Pha minors, majors 6:23, McCarthy Pha 8:26, Marois NYR 10:17, Nilsson NYR 13:32, Maloney NYR double minor, misconduct 14:42.

Third Period

7. Philadelphia, Clarke 9 (Leach, Barber) 0:37
8. NY Rangers, Esposito 18 (Plante, Talafous) 2:16
9. Philadelphia, Leach 17 (Watson, MacLeish) 6:25
10. NY Rangers, Vickers 10 (Duguay, Esposito) 10:04
11. Philadelphia, Holmgren 6 (Watson) 16:38

Penalties—Hedberg NYR double minor, Parent Pha, Barber Pha 3:01, Clarke Pha 8:48, Bridgman Pha, Maloney NYR 12:54.

Shots on goal by

NY Rangers	4	4	17	—25
Philadelphia	9	11	12	—32

Goal—Soetaert, NY Rangers; Parent, Philadelphia.
Attendance—17,077.

According to the Solunar Tables calculated for this area, the best times for hunting and fishing for the next 48 hours will be as follows (times shown are Pacific Standard):

	Minor A.M.	Major A.M.	Minor P.M.	Major P.M.
TODAY				
	3:40	10:25	4:15	10:55
TOMORROW				
	4:35	11:30	5:10	11:55

Minor periods, shorter duration, light type.
Major periods, lasting 1½ to 2 hours are shown in bold.

Irving sparks Bruin win

KARLSTAD, Sweden (CP-Reuter) — Randy Irving didn't dress for New Westminster Bruins' opening world junior hockey championship game against Finland Wednesday when the Finns scored a 3-1 victory.

But with Irving, a Lake Cowichan product, restored to the lineup Thursday, coach Ernie McLean got a pleasant surprise from the winger's two-goal performance that led the Canadian squad to a 6-2 win over West Germany in a Group A game.

In another Group A game, Czechoslovakia overcame a 4-2 deficit at the midway mark of the second period for a 6-4 victory over Norway.

New Westminster, last year's Canadian junior champions, led 2-0 after one period and 4-2 entering the third period.

Despite the apparent ease of the win, McLean said it was a tough spot for the Canadian team, made up primarily of this year's Bruins' entry in the Western Hockey League but complemented by players from other Canadian Major Junior Hockey League teams.

The Canadian team also got goals from John Ogrodnick and Kent Reardon of the Bruins along with Errol Rausse of Seattle Breakers and Gary Lupul of Victoria Cougars, who scored the Bruin goal on Wednesday.

Besides the effort of Irving, McLean had high praise for the work of Reardon, John Paul Kelly and Bill Hobbins against the West German squad that lost its first tournament game, 5-2 to Sweden.

In later games played at Karlskoga, the Soviet Union whipped the United States 7-1 while Sweden edged Finland 2-1.

Neal Broten, a University of Minnesota forward, prevented a Soviet shutout by scoring late in the second period.

The Americans, who played a scoreless third period with the Soviets, were outshot 28-22.

Right winger Gennadi Kurgin and Viacheslav Rjanov scored two goals each for the Soviets.

The Soviets, who have lost only one game in winning all three earlier world junior championship titles, play the Czechoslovaks Saturday when the preliminary round of the tournament ends. On the same day, Canada goes against Sweden, Finland meets West Germany and Norway plays the U.S.

Sweden heads the division in which New Westminster is playing. Finland and the Canadian team are tied for second.

Vikings, Metro move to semis

University of Victoria Vikings and Metro Toyota join Victoria Athletics and Oak Bay in the senior semi-finals of the fourth annual Vancouver Island Soccer League indoor tournament at McKinnon Gym.

Vikings handled Falcons of the fourth division 3-0, then went on to defeat Cosmopolitan Royals (II) 2-0 to earn the berth in Saturday's semi-finals.

Metro grabbed victories over Sooke, 4-1, and Royals (I), 2-0, to take its spot. Athletics and Oak Bay won their splots during Wednesday's opening preliminary round.

Meanwhile, DaVinci (II) and Vantreights (II) join DaVinci (III) and YMCA B in consolation semis, also set for Saturday.

In senior boys play, Spectrum A and Spectrum B will meet in Saturday's final after each won both draws on Thursday.

Parkland and Reynolds will play Saturday's consolation final.

HIGH SCHOOL

Spectrum B 3 Mount Douglas A 2
Cowichan 3 Parkland 2
Spectrum A 3 Reynolds 1
Mount Douglas B 4 Oak Bay 3
Spectrum B 1 Cowichan 0
Spectrum A 1 Mount Douglas B 0
Parkland 3 Mount Douglas A 1
Reynolds 2 Oak Bay 0

SENIOR

Falcons (IV) 2 DaVinci (II) 1
Royals (II) 2 LH Athletics (III) 1
Sooke 1 Lakehill Ormistons (III) 0
Labatts (III) 2 Vantreights (II) 1
UVic 3 Falcons 0
Royals (II) 3 Prospect Lake (II) 1
Metro Toyota (II) 4 Sooke 1
Royals (I) 1 Labatts 0
UVic 2 Royals (II) 0
DaVinci 4 Athletics (III) 1
Vantreights 3 Ormiston 0

Sport today

CURLING

5 and 9 p.m. — Continuation of Super League invitational cash bonspiel, Racquet Club of Victoria.

SOCCER

6 p.m. — Continuation of fourth annual Vancouver Island Soccer League tournament, senior women's preliminaries, McKinnon Gym.

WHA

	G	W	L	T	F	A	P
N. England	32	17	9	6	144	118	40
Quebec	34	18	12	4	132	115	40
Cincinnati	36	15	17	4	130	133	34
Edmonton	31	16	15	0	119	113	32
Winnipeg	31	14	13	4	133	116	32
Brmnghm	33	14	16	3	120	128	31
x-Indnpls	25	5	18	7	78	130	12

x-Disbanded.

BIRMINGHAM (6) — Michel Goulet (7th and 8th), Louis Sleigher (18th and 19th), Rick Cassolato (3rd), Rick Adduono (8th); CINCINNATI (5) — Bill Gilligan (3rd), Mike Gartner (15th and 16th), Reg Thomas (12th), Craig Norwich (4th). Attendance — 10,143.

CZECHOSLOVAKIA (0); QUEBEC (4) — Serge Bernier (18th and 19th), J.C. Tremblay (3rd), Richie Leduc (13th). Attendance — 9,927.

Vikings face No. 1 squad

They pulled rank on Manitoba Bisons Thursday night but now Victoria Vikings are worried St. Mary's Huskies might do the same to them today.

Vikings, ranked third among Canadian university basketball teams, handled unranked Manitoba 90-80 in the opening round of the Wesmen Classic at the University of Winnipeg.

They face St. Mary's, defending national champs and No. 1 in the nation, today at 1 p.m, Victoria time, as preliminary round-robin play continues.

Vikings, Huskies and Manitoba comprise one of two three-team divisions. Host Winnipeg, McMaster Marauders of Hamilton and Bishops Gaiters of Quebec form the remaining pool.

In Thursday's only other game, seventh-rated Winnipeg whipped McMaster 89-59.

Today, McMaster tangles with Bishops and Manitoba faces St. Mary's. Top teams in each division clash in a Saturday final.

Robbie Parris came on strong in the second half to score 22 points for UVic, which led 49-40 at the half.

Reni Dolcetti provided the first-half punch, scoring all his 20 points before the break. He ran into foul trouble in the second half. Chris Hebb contributed 17 points for UVic, which snapped a three-game exhibition losing streak.

Meanwhile, closer to home, UVic Vikettes lost their opener in a tournament at Burnaby's Simon Fraser University.

SFU Grads clipped Vikettes, forced to take the floor without three key players, 71-50.

Susan Shaw, Brenda Smith and Jane Favali sat out. Favali, a member of the national junior women's team and the Canada West conference's leading scorer, may be sidelined until March with torn knee ligaments.

Gail Klaver had 19 and Bev Bland scored 18 points for the Grads. Luanne Hebb led UVic with 14 points.

UVic plays in the consolation final of the four-team tournament tonight.

VIKINGS (90) — Robbie Parris 22, Reni Dolcetti 20, Chris Hebb 17, Ted Anderson 8, Gerald Kazanowski 8, Kelly Dukeshire 4, Mickey Welder 4, Ian Hyde-Lay 6, Greg Kazanowski 2.

MANITOBA (80) — Dan Snidal 28, John Taylor 19, Jim Kendall 12, Gary Bulloch 9, Ted Fardoe 4, Kevin Kelleher 6.

VIKETTES (50) — Tracy McAra 4, Michelle Belanger 8, Jane Boe 6, Patti Pesklevits 13, Luanne Hebb 14, Connie Hall, Jan Turner, Cindy Smith 4, Marilyn Brain 1.

SFU GRADS (71) — Wendy Steeves, Bev Bland 18, Lorna Robertson 14, Jane Broatch 6, Joanne Sargent 8, Gail Klaver 19, Jeannie Kanakoff 2, Michelle Desauniers 4.

Pro basketball

NBA

New York 109 Washington 99
Cleveland 116 San Diego 114
San Antonio 112 Milwaukee 103
Chicago 111 Denver 107
Phoenix 129 Portland 127

Stasiuk through with Tigers

Medicine Hat Tigers of the Western Hockey League will head into the new year with a new coach, club operations manager Doug Smeaton announced Thursday.

Vic Stasiuk, coach of the Tigers since September, 1977, resigned and was replaced by Sheldon Ferguson, a 26-year-old Red Deer businessman and majority owner of the Red Deer Rustlers of the Alberta Junior Hockey League.

"He's young, aggressive, and hopefully, he can turn the club around," said Smeaton.

The Tigers are having one of their worst seasons since joining the WHL eight years ago.

They have won seven and tied four of their 34 games this season and are in last place in the central division, eight points behind Calgary Wranglers.

Fans had been expecting a change for some time. Attendance has sagged to its lowest point ever. Only 1,366 turned out for the last home game.

Ferguson owned Billings Bighorns of the WHL for one year before selling out to a Billings businessman last June.

Before buying an interest in the Rustlers last year, he coached the team for two years, taking them to the playoffs both times.

Ferguson's first game as Tigers' coach will be against Billings Bighorns Jan. 3.

Stasiuk had earlier played in the National Hockey League and coached Philadelphia Flyers, California Golden Seals, Vancouver Canucks. His last coaching job had been with Taber Golden Suns of the Alberta Junior Hockey League.

In Thursday's only league action, Saskatoon Blades travelled to Edmotnon and scored a 4-2 win over the Oil Kings before only 640 fans.

Kelly Kuspira, Ken Federko, Bill MacNaught and Lindsay Carson scored for the Blades, who scored two goals in each of the last two periods. Mike Schneider and Larry McCarger scored for the Oil Kings.

	G	W	L	T	F	A	P
Eastern Division							
Brandon	32	26	1	5	237	95	57
Saskatoon	36	10	16	10	195	206	30
Edmonton	38	11	19	8	153	188	30
Regina	34	8	23	3	138	252	19
Central Division							
Billings	35	22	9	4	194	125	48
Lethbridge	37	10	14	3	202	141	43
Calgary	38	11	23	4	169	216	26
Medicine Hat	34	7	23	4	122	231	18
Western Division							
Portland	29	19	5	5	189	116	43
Victoria	35	18	13	4	165	151	40
New West	33	17	14	2	148	136	36
Seattle	35	11	20	4	146	180	26

Sunday Game

Billings at Edmonton

outdoors

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WE STARTED what might easily become a new family tradition on Boxing Day.

On Tuesday we headed off to check the Barbie-Lu, our 18½-foot mini-cruiser at Sooke Harbor Marina and the water looked so inviting wife Taffy and I headed out for a little cruise.

We took along some leftover turkey, ham and sausages — no booze — and cooked up a light lunch on board while we cruised slowly along the shoreline of East Sooke Park.

In spite of the fact we met Bob McMahon unloading a 28½-pound chinook at dockside before we headed out, we didn't bother with our fishing lines. This was to be a relaxing fun cruise to shake off the Christmas festivity cobwebs.

McMahon had gone fishing at 10 in the morning and was back at the dock by noon with his big fish, taken at the 12 fathom mark on blue and white hootchie over a Minnow Teaser head. "I have hooked into three of these in the past week, but this is the first one I landed," he said.

The water was flat calm on Tuesday and we saw quite a number of hikers in East Sooke park.

It was rather nostalgic for us to explore the shoreline and find the little bay and the land, with an island almost joining it, which way back in the 1950s we tried to lease from the provincial lands department. It was crown land and we wanted to pre-empt our little piece of it. It was our application that sent the lands inspector and the deputy recreation minister out to take a second look ... and instead of keeping it for subdivision as they had planned they placed a park reserve on it. So we like to feel that the people have East Sooke regional park today, because we wanted a piece of it 20 years ago.

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AFTER OUR CRUISE we headed for our Gordon Beach cabin to do a little hiking along the beach.

We found the beach swept clean of logs and Ira and Elsie Erb told us that on the Thursday before there had been a terrific surf — 25 foot breakers, the biggest they had seen in 20 years on the beach. If it had been a high tide it would have been the end for some of our little cabins, but fortunately the surf came in on a flat calm day (as usual) on a mid-tide. As it was one cabin had some of its patio washed away, while the occupants sat inside frightened stiff as they watched the huge surf break on the beach and surge up to the cabins.

But those heavy seas do some good. They sweep the beach clean and they roll over the stones and boulders. After the winter surf is an ideal time to search for beach pebbles ... and on Tuesday we did find some agates and other interesting pebbles which we will soon have in the polisher.

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TIDE-WISE, THE WORST may be still to come. Today and Saturday bring two of the highest tides of the year ... 10.7 feet around noon each day, only .2 inches below the highest tide of 1978, which occurred Jan. 8. If the forecast holds and it is cold, with no surf, we won't have any worries about the cabins. But, with those high tides also come super low tides of .9 inches at 8:20 p.m. tonight and 9:15 Saturday night, which are ideal tides for a winter clam digging expedition.

Highest tide of 1979 comes Jan. 27, a 10.6-footer at Sooke at 11:55 a.m., with a correspondingly low tide for clam digging at 8:05 p.m., a 1.1-footer.

Easter weekend, Friday, April 13 to April 15, provides no extremes in tides, which means it would be a good time (but a little early in the season) for a West Coast Trail hike, with mid-morning lows for beach hiking. But, it isn't the weekend to visit Port Renfrew's Botanical Beach. There will be the same medium tides for the Victoria Day holiday weekend, with low tides in mid-afternoon, but no extremes.

Lowest tide of 1979 will be Monday and Tuesday June 11 and 12, which will see .6-foot tides in mid-mornings, ideal tides for visiting Botanical Beach and Sombrio and other places for inter-tidal zone beach explorations. The Sunday tide will also be low, at .9 feet.

May 26 and 27, which I expect will be Swiftsure weekend, bring low tides in the morning (1.5 and 1.4) good for clam digging and with increased clam limits now we may once again dig some clams in the morning and hold a clam chowder Swiftsure party to watch the races from our Gordon Beach cabin.

May 12, 13 and 14, Saturday, Sunday and Monday, bring 1.7 to 1.2 low tides, good for clam digging and beach explorations.

Good time for a beach holiday, with low, low tides in the morning and the water coming in on the warm sand all day is the July 8 to July 11 period, with July 10 tide dropping to .6 inches at Sooke at 9:55 a.m., sharing honors for lowest tide of the year. The Aug. 5 to Aug. 8 period is another good time for beach holiday with morning tides from 2.1 to 1.3.

Dec. 2, 3 and 4, 1979, will see more high tides around noon at Sooke, 10.4 feet on all three days. Dec. 4 will see a late evening clam party tide, 1.8 feet at 9 p.m. at Sooke. Dec. 30 and 31 will see more high tides, 10.4 feet at Sooke at 10:30 p.m. and 11 p.m. ... two more days to worry about a storm followed by high surf which could damage our beach-side cabins.

TV invades privacy of playing field

By WILL GRIMSLEY

The ASSOCIATED PRESS

Television's one-eyed monster has a tenacious curiosity and ears bigger than its orbit. So what was it doing on the sidelines at the Fiesta Bowl in Tempe, Ariz., on Christmas Day when UCLA and Arkansas played to a useless 10-10 tie?

With the live captive audience of millions looking and listening, there was this microphone stuck in the face of UCLA coach Terry Donahue just as the Bruins intercepted an Arkansas pass.

Suddenly whistles blew and flags started dropping. The turnover was nullified by a penalty against UCLA.

Crackle, sizzle, pop.

Out of the young coach's mouth came an epithet unfit for tender ears—especially on a quiet Christmas afternoon. The words are most often found on the walls of public latrines.

Oops! Certainly, Donahue was embarrassed, but he was caught off guard. He felt sorry afterward, but it was too late.

Across the field on the Arkansas side there was Lou Holtz, the Razorbacks' fiesty coach, with an electronic device stuck to his chest.

"Sixty, wide to the left," he mumbled to one of his cleated messengers relaying plays from the bench to the huddle.

Up high in the press box, NBC announcer Curt Gowdy thumbed quickly through some pages.

"It's going to an option play to his left," Gowdy explained hurriedly. By that time, the Arkansas quarterback had already thrown an errant pass.

"One sixty-five, deep," said Holtz to one of his messengers.

Gowdy rummaged through his papers.

"I can't find this one," he said frantically.

"That's okay, just wait for the next one," said his press box companion, John Brodie.

The bizarre sequence of these events raises the vital question: What should be the extent of electronic intrusion in big time sports?

Does TV, with its vast exposure and resources that subsidize most major events, have the right—denied other media—to go on the playing field and probe the most confidential areas of the participants?

Does the wiring of a coach or a player—as in the case of Holtz in the Fiesta Bowl—serve any useful purpose or add anything to the spectator's enjoyment of the game?

The embarrassment caused by Donahue's impulsive remark and the confusion of trying to tip the fans off to Holtz' strategy in advance seem to dictate a definite No.

Keep the big eye where it belongs—recording the event, not anticipating or judging it.

Holtz is a very articulate, funny fellow. To wire him for sound would be a good idea if he were doing a stand-up routine at Las Vegas. But, on the football sidelines, it inhibits and distracts him. It only confounds the viewers.

This is not the first time television has sought to gain an edge by equipping the principals with wires and batteries.

In the 1977 World Series, Los Angeles Dodgers' Tom Lasorda, another glib character, was wired for sound in the World Series against New York Yankees.

A batter reaching third was heard to say, "I sure knocked the (bleep bleep) out of that ball."

However, the greatest embarrassment occurred when a World Series film revealed plate umpire John McSherry telling manager Lasorda he wasn't rushing him on a mound decision, adding, "I'm here to help." This incensed Yankee owner George Steinbrenner to the extent that he led a move to bring major league umpires into conformity.

The National Football League has permitted wiring of coaches and players on certain occasions but for NFL highlight films only, never in live games.

There is pressure to use instant replays for close judgment calls.

Forget it. Replays will only turn up unseen fouls, inhibit officials and result in chaos.

Grogan double threat

Fairbanks
. . . discovered diamond

FOXBORO, Mass. (AP) — The skeptics howled, but New England Patriots coach Chuck Fairbanks and playoff-ready quarterback Steve Grogan proved that National Football League teams can do more than just wish for an explosive wishbone offence.

The Patriots won't actually use that college formation here Sunday against Houston Oilers in the American Conference semi-finals. But they've risen to the top with the closest thing to it—a pro signal caller who is a running back.

When Fairbanks arrived from at Oklahoma six years ago, the coach made it clear that he was bringing his wishbone run-pass option ideas on offence with him.

In 1974, Fairbanks even claimed safety Jack Mildren with the apparent idea of trying him as an NFL wishbone quarterback. Mildren had been just that in college.

New England at the time was an also-ran, saddled with a drop back passer—Jim Plunkett, who was a good bet for the stretcher each time he tucked the ball under his arm.

Enter Grogan. It was as if Fairbanks, while mining for coal, discovered a diamond.

With Plunkett hurt in 1975, Grogan, a fifth-round draft pick from Kansas State and pegged as no better than a backup quarterback in the NFL, got a chance. His passing was erratic, but Fairbanks saw something else.

The rangy signal caller could complete important passes. But more important, he could run and get up after being tackled.

In four NFL season, Grogan now has piled up 1,370 yards rushing—539 for a 6.7 a carry average this year—and scored 21 touchdowns.

Skeptics stopped asking when Grogan would be decapitated on a bootleg dash because the quarterback has been an ironman. He hasn't missed a game, although a knee sprain took him out early in the meaningless 1978 regular season finale in Miami.

Malcontents even have stopped hooting for a more consistent passer—Grogan has 82 NFL interceptions—because the 6-foot-4, 208-pound signal caller has a knack of being most accurate in the late stages of a close game.

Grogan says his knee is adequatedly rested for the playoffs. Both Fairbanks and Oilers coach Bum Phiips call the quarterback New England's chief weapon.

Fran Tarkenton, the veteran scrambler, proved the value of mobile quarterbacks, and Greg Landry demonstrated that signal callers can run straight ahead instead of from side to side.

But Grogan, backed by a solid team and a stubborn coach, has carved out a niche as the NFL's No. 1 double threat—run or pass—quarterback.

"Grogan makes their big plays," says Phillips. "You've got to keep watching him."

When he turns upfield against the Oilers, Grogan will be carrying New England's Super Bowl hopes as well as the football. And Fairbanks, ready to return to the college ranks at Colorado, can say: "I told you so."

Norris winners lead voting

NEW YORK (AP) — Larry Robinson of Montreal Canadiens and Denis Potvin of New York Islanders, winners of Norris Trophies as the National Hockey League's top defencemen for the last three years, have taken over the lead in all-star balloting by the fans, it was announced Thursday.

Robinson, who won the Norris in 1977, has received 27,930 votes, and Potvin, the 1976 and 1978 Norris winner, has 26,969. Borje Salming of Toronto Maple Leafs is third with 25,112 and Ron Greschner of New York Rangers fourth at 24,931.

Two Rangers' forwards, left winger Pat Hickey and centre Ulf Nilsson, continued to lead at their positions. Hickey has 34,326 votes to 16,805 for runner-up Steve Shutt of Montreal. Nilsson has 18,942 to 13,029 for second-place Ivan Boldirev of Chicago Black Hawks.

Montreal's Guy Lafleur leads the right wingers with 31,538 to 25,895 for Anders Hedberg of the Rangers.

Tony Esposito of Chicago leads the goaltending vote with 23,106 to 15,628 for Ken Dryden of Montreal.

The NHL all-stars will oppose the Soviet national team in a three-game series at New York's Madison Square Garden, Feb. 8, 10 and 11.

Clerc drops out

MELBOURNE, Australia (AP) — Jose-Luis Clerc of Argentina, No. 2 seed in the $300,000 Australian Open tennis tournament, suffered a recurrence of a knee injury Thursday and forfeited his first-round match to Australian John Marks.

Clerc, who had damaged ligaments in his right knee during a tournament in Buenos Aires four weeks ago and struggled painfully through the New South Wales Open in Sydney last week, won the first set from Marks in a tie-breaker.

Then, to the surprise of the centre court crowd, he heeded the advice of a physician and bowed out of the match.

Mama Ali set to fight

MELBOURNE, Australia (AFP) — Move over Muhammad, here comes Mama Ali. She is no mountain of muscle but Dee Dee Newton, a 20-year-old boxer from Melbourne, sure packs a punch.

Mama Ali and her trainer, Pattie Ryan, were among five women boxers granted licences Thursday, to box professionally in the state of Vitoria.

The granting of the licences follows a six months investigation into female boxing. Professional fights between women are due to start in Melbourne in February.

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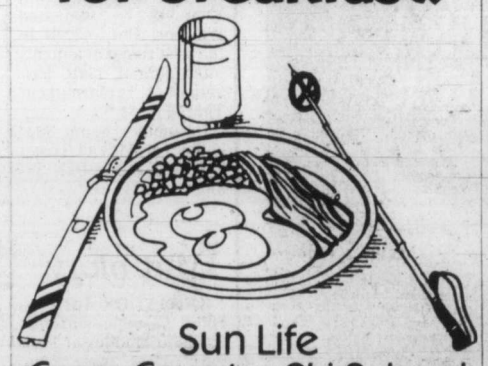

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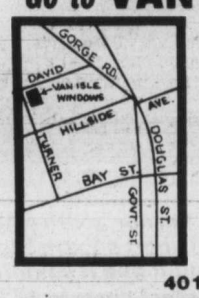

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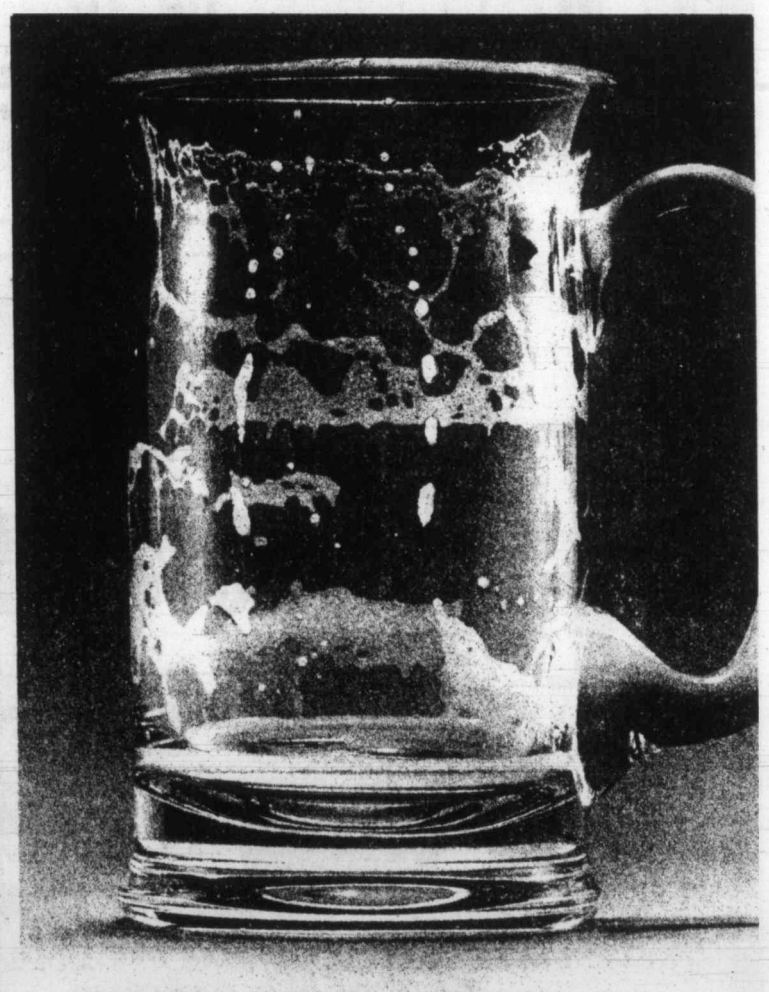

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Premier leaps into fray over MB

'B.C. is not for sale'

Premier Bennett Thursday stepped into the middle of the corporate fight for control of the B.C. forest giant MacMillan Bloedel.

And he did so with the initial promise that he had been assured by all parties involved in the takeover scramble that no corporate control change-overs would take place until principals from Domtar, Canadian Pacific Investments and MB met with the premier during the first week in January.

"British Columbia is not for sale," the premier said.

Following an emergency meeting of the cabinet Thursday morning, which saw several ministers and the premier hastily recalled to Victoria during their Christmas vacations, Bennett said he found both the Domtar and the CPI bids for MB unacceptable.

"I have today talked with the senior executives involved and we have agreed to meet in Vancouver in the first week in January," Bennett said.

Recalled from the ski slopes of Big White near Kelowna, the premier apologized for his blue jeans and shirt and heavy leather boots. "But I consider this a matter of some emergency," he said. "We are concerned over the development of the province.

"I have advised the parties, and I am now advising the public, that I want to talk to all the officials involved and to outline for them what the policies of the province of British Columbia are."

CPI, which already owns 2.8 million of MB's 21.2 million common shares, announced Wednesday that it is seeking to obtain at least 51 per cent of those shares in order to control the company.

The CPI offer followed an offer by Domtar, a Montreal-based company, for control of B.C.'s largest forest industry. In counter moves MB has sought control of Domtar.

Whatever the outcome of those boardroom fights Bennett left no doubt that B.C. did not intend to sit back and be a mere spectator to the struggle.

The premier declined to discuss what his strategy would be when he met with the corporate executives next week but Section 50 of the new B.C. Forest Act

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A downhill day from ski slopes

IT'S NOT EASY BEING PREEM

Things don't always go well for provincial premiers even when they have a government aircraft to fly them to the capital in emergency situations.

Take Premier Bennett, for example.

At 5:30 a.m. Thursday he ambled into the bathroom of his condominium at Big White ski resort near Kelowna. The orders of the day indluded a shave, coffee and a quick run down the mountain to board the government jet for Victoria to handle the Domtar-CP-MacMillan Bloedel takeover crisis.

THE HOT-WATER TANK had frozen during the night.

A quickly boiled kettle of water, a quickie shave, instant coffee gulped and he was behind the wheel of his car.

It wouldn't start. The night had been cold on Big White.

A neighbor, rudely awakened before first light but willing to do his bit for B.C., produced jumper cables and got Bennett's car going. Just to make sure everything was okay, he followed the premier part way down the hill until the trailing vehicle quietly slid into a ditch.

"It was not," said the premier, "an auspicious start to a day which was to end in debate with Ian Sinclair (president of Canadian Pacific)."

THE PROBLEMS WERE not over. By the time the neighbor had been straightened around, the premier's car unfrozen for a second time and the airport reached, the government pilots had decided there was no premier to pick up and had just lifted off the runway.

Recalled by radio, they finally got the premier, blue jeans, blue shirt, winter boots and blue chin lightly powdered for the TV lights, to the press conference theatre at the Legislature buildings.

At 4 p.m. the premier held a short cabinet meeting, then headed back for Big White in the hope that the return trip might be as smooth as the inbound trip was fraught with problems.

DC-8 hits Portland street, most of 185 aboard alive

—AP

Stewardess, centre, is helped from sliced-open DC-8 fuselage

Colonist wire services

PORTLAND, Ore.—"Mayday! Mayday! Engines are flaming out! We are going down! We're not going to make the airport!"

These chilling words came from the pilot of a disabled United Airlines DC-8 jetliner Thursday night just moments before the plane carrying 185 persons crashed into a sparsely-populated residential area southeast of Portland International Airport.

At least 10 persons, including four children, were killed. Hospitals said more than 50 were injured, five critically. But the majority of the passengers—as well as the pilot and co-pilot—were able to escape the wreckage and wander into nearby homes for help.

The pilot of the plane, Flight 173 from New York and Denver to Portland, circled the area for about 45 minutes with a reported landing gear problem before giving his 'mayday' warning. Emergency crews reached the wreckage within minutes because of the advance notice that the plane was in trouble.

"He did land," said a resident of the neighborhood.

The jetliner, which carried 177 passengers, including five infants, and a crew of eight, sheared treetops, cut power lines and demolished two vacant houses before coming to rest in a woods. There was no fire and no panic and the passengers exited quickly from the plane, according to an airport spokesman.

The jet crashed about 6:15 p.m. and knocked out power to about 1,500 homes in the area.

Aims for vacant lots

It appeared that the pilot tried to set the plane down in a strip of vacant lots, 200 metres long and a block wide. The wings and front of the plane—to the fourth or fifth row of the passenger section—were sheared off.

The DC-8 lay crumbled, lodged in a clump of fir trees. Rescue workers clambered through the wreckage and ambulances took victims to hospitals. Firemen said they were looking under the plane for more victims.

Witnesses said the pilot seemed dazed as he walked away from the wreckage.

A stewardess said the plane had been having trouble with the landing gear but they thought it was working when they went in for the landing.

Mary Wheat, 49, who lives

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Boat people plead for food, new life

Colonist wire services

About 5,000 Vietnamese refugees, packed aboard freighters off Manila and Hong Kong, begged Thursday for food, doctors and a chance to start a new life elsewhere.

In Manila, the government of the Philippines appealed to Canada and other Western countries to take more than 2,300 of the refugees aboard the *Tung An*, anchored in Manila Bay.

In Hong Kong, authorities have refused for six days to let 2,700 refugees off the Taiwanese freighter *Huey Fong* because Taiwan, not Hong Kong, was the freighter's next port of call.

As refugees continued to wait it out in sweltering heat aboard the freighters, a representative for the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees said it would take diplomats about a week to find out if their governments are willing to take some of the 5,000.

The refugees are fanatically persistent. Some aboard the *Huey Fong* have threatened suicide if their ship sails off, while refugees were so determined to get on the *Tung An* that 200 are reported to have drowned in a mad scramble for safety on the South China Sea.

The captain of the freighter said Thursday that some of the refugees were seriousy ill and that one went berserk and started biting others.

In a radio interview, *Huey Fong* refugees begged authorities to let the young and old off the ship and asked for doctors to treat the sick.

Tran Le Phan, a 19-year-old Vietamese woman on the *Tung An*, said at least 20 children had died and were buried at sea before the freighter reached Manila Bay. Eight months pregnant, she was one of five persons allowed to leave the ship for medical treatment.

She said she was on the first boat picked up by the *Tung An* on Dec. 6. It was a small craft, carrying 400 people who had chipped in small amounts to escape their homeland.

She said many of the refugees were ethnic Chinese who had been forced to work for meagre wages on farms or in factories after their properties had been confiscated.

Passengers on the ship patted their stomachs to signal they wanted food when correspondents tried unsuccessfully to draw up alongside. The stench of poor hygiene and the ship's rotting

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Did volcanoes spew first seeds of life?

MOSCOW (UPI) — A group of Soviet scientists says volcanoes may have spawned the first living organism that fueled the evolutionary process and created man.

The Tass news agency said Thursday the theory was developed by scientists at the Institute of Volcanology, at the Far Eastern Centre of the Soviet Academy of Sciences.

They found that volcanic ashes contain over 200 complex pre-biological compounds and almost all the main components essential for the existence of a living cell.

"The scientists discovered micro-organisms living in extreme conditions, in a high-temperature and acidic environments, in solutions of suphuric and muriatic acids," Tass said.

'Welfare queen' gets 8 years

COMPTON, Calif. (AP) — Barbara Jean Williams, who drove to her trial in a silver-colored Cadillac, was sentenced to eight years in prison Thursday for collecting $240,000 in welfare funds for more than 70 children.

Superior Court Judge Kenneth Gale imposed the maximum sentence on the 33-year-old woman, saying the offence "is on a par with somebody stealing from the poor box of a church."

Court ruling aids anti-Trident 176

SEATTLE (AP) — A federal judge said Thursday he will let 176 Trident protesters use their argument that the nuclear-missile submarine would be a greater harm than their act of trespassing on the Trident base at Bangor.

However, Francis Diskin, an assistant prosecutor, objected to U.S. District Judge Donald Voorhees' ruling. Diskin had asked the judge to exclude that testimony as irrelevant.

The defendants are charged with illegally re-entering the United States Navy's Trident submarine base at Bangor on Washington's Hood Canal last May 23 after receiving formal letters barring them from the site.

On Wednesday the judge accepted a motion for dismissal of charges against five of the original 181 protesters.

Chaos reigns as Iran's refineries shut down

Colonist wire services

TEHRAN — Iran's strike-plagued oil industry, backbone of the economy, virtually shut down Thursday and new anti-shah rioting raged across the country with reports of dozens of lives taken in the violence.

Anti-American protests continued and in the southern city of Shiraz demonstrators firebombed an Iranian-American cultural centre as Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi's foes demanded the Carter administration withdraw its support from the mon-

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At least 30 people were reported killed in clashes between anti-shah demonstrators and troops in the southern city of Ahvaz, and three more died in the northwestern city of Qazvin, where rioters attacked a police station.

A ranking Moslem holy man appealed to the thousands of striking oil workers to return to work, but said they should produce only enough fuel for domestic needs. Iranian state radio urged everyone to conserve fuel.

Garbage collection in this city of 4.5 million was being halted as an economy move, and banks throughout the country began closing because of a shortage of bank notes. Cash supplies have been destroyed by fires and delayed by transportation disruptions.

The strike has cost Iran, normally the world's second largest oil producer, about $70 million a day in lost foreign exchange.

Gasoline was rationed and bus service in the capital was halted.

The radio reported anti-shah rioting in several cities that have been the scene of almost continous fighting in recent days.

Troops fired over the heads of several hundred demonstrators who surged through the streets within three blocks of the heavily guarded U.S. embassy compound here. Demonstrators burned cars and buses but the mobs appeared smaller than in recent days, apparently because the Moslem weekend began Thursday. Witnesses said eight to 10 persons were wounded by army gunfire in Tehran.

The worst violence of the day was reported to have occurred in Ahvaz, where an Iranian doctor told Reuter by telephone: "About 30 to 40 people have been killed and more than 15 injured in gunfire."

The doctor said nearly 10 bank branches and the offices of the national airline, Iranair, were also set ablaze.

Oil-industry sources said all of Iran's refineries had shut down, and no petroleum was being refined anywhere in the country. The sources said about 300,000 barrels of crude oil were taken from the ground Thursday but were being stored until the refineries began operating again. Iranian wells normally produce about six million barrels of crude daily.

As many as 180 automobiles were seen lining up at service stations in Tehran. The government has begun limiting customers to 6.6 gallons per stop. The radio said 18 of the city's 166 gasoline stations ran out of fuel.